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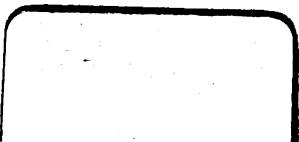
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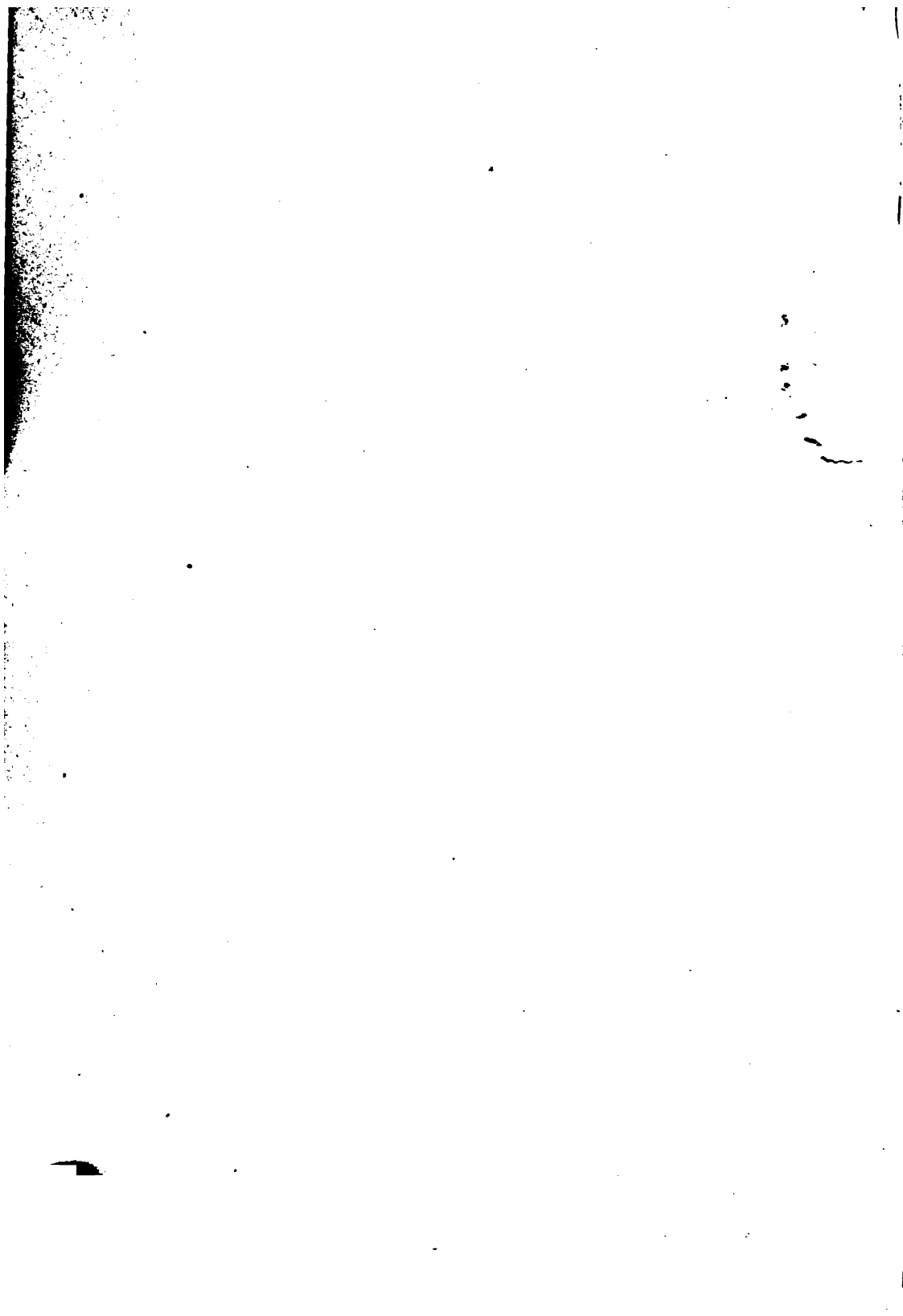
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Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.



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# REPORT

OF THE

## STATE BOARD OF CONTROL.

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OFFICE OF THE STATE BOARD OF CONTROL,  
Madison, Wis., November 1st, 1898.

HON. EDWARD SCOFIELD, *Governor*:

The State Board of Control of Wisconsin Reformatory, Charitable and Penal Institutions, in compliance with law, herewith submits to you its fourth biennial report for the two years ending September 30th, 1898.

The first and most important duty of the board is the maintenance and government of the state reformatory, charitable and penal institutions, which are nine:

The State Hospital for the Insane at Mendota.

The Northern Hospital for the Insane at Winnebago.

The School for the Deaf at Delavan.

The School for the Blind at Janesville.

The Industrial School for Boys at Waukesha.

The State Prison at Waupun.

The State Public School for Dependent Children at Sparta.

The Home for Feeble-minded at Chippewa Falls.

The Wisconsin State Reformatory at Green Bay.

The other duties of the board are:

First—To act as commissioners of lunacy with power to examine into the question of sanity or condition of any person committed to or confined in any public or private hospital or

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asylum for the insane, or restrained of liberty by reason of alleged insanity at any place within the state.

Second—To investigate all complaints against any of the institutions named heretofore or against the officers or employes.

Third—To transfer inmates of one of these institutions to any other or of any county asylum for the chronic insane to any other county asylum or other state institution under its supervision.

Fourth—To investigate and supervise all the charitable and correctional institutions aided at all by the state, and all industrial schools, hospitals and asylums organized or existing or which shall be organized under Chapter 86 of the Wisconsin Statutes of 1898.

Fifth—To visit and inspect each county asylum in the state at least once in each three months.

Sixth—To approve or reject plans for county asylums for the insane, poor-houses and jails.

Seventh—To investigate from time to time the poor-houses in the state.

Eighth—To investigate the jails, city prisons, houses of correction, and all places in which persons convicted or suspected of crime or insane persons are confined.

Ninth—To collect and tabulate important statistics relating to insanity, pauperism and crime.

Tenth—To condemn any jail, police-station, or lock-up if dangerous to the health or life of the persons confined therein or if not secure or permitting separation as provided by law.

Eleventh—To examine at least twice each year into the management of the veterans' home.

To comply with all these duties necessarily involves many thousands of miles of travel and the entire time of the board.

The inspection of more than 200 village and city lock-ups, most of which are very seldom used, except as shelters for tramps, and the visits to all the many private charitable institutions, consume a very considerable part of the time of the

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board, which could be devoted to better advantage in looking after the greater interests of the nine state institutions.

The board respectfully renews its recommendation of two years ago, that the legislature authorize the board to appoint an inspector of the minor charitable and penal institutions, at a salary not to exceed \$1,500.00 per year and the actual traveling expenses, such inspector to report to the board and work under its direction, and whose inspection should have the same force in law as if made by the board or any member thereof.

In common with the people of the state the members of the board of control take great pride in the institutions under their charge. They desire that they should be the peers of the best in the world. It is their constant aim to place them in the front rank of similar institutions anywhere, and to obtain the best results in an economical manner.

The manner of purchasing all articles needed in the different institutions has received the most careful attention of the board; competitive bids to furnish many supplies in bulk for the use of the different institutions have been invited, whenever practicable; the prices paid for all articles have been scrutinized, and it is safe to state that no private concern has received better terms than the different state institutions and has enabled the board to buy the best materials for the lowest prices. While the board has practiced the utmost economy, every reasonable and proper want of the different institutions has been supplied; no needed repair has been neglected and many improvements in line with modern ideas and advancement have been made.

The heads of the several institutions have rendered efficient and conscientious services and the men and women employed have discharged their respective duties in a creditable manner.

The discipline in the several institutions has shown a marked improvement, owing to the policy of the board to leave the selection of the employes entirely to the respective superintendents or warden, holding them accountable for the conduct and efficiency of the men and women under them and for the econom-

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ical and intelligent management of the institution under their charge. To yourself is due to a large degree the credit for this advancement in the discipline and service of these institutions; the board has always received your encouragement in carrying out this policy and the moral support so given has materially strengthened our position with reference to this phase of the management.

THE STATE HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

The aim of the board of control has been to make our two hospitals for the insane, the state hospital at Mendota and the northern hospital at Winnebago, what the name implies, institutions where every rational effort known to the science of psychiatry should be made to effect if possible a cure of the dread disease of insanity.

While much may be done yet to bring these hospitals up to the highest degree of efficiency, it can however be stated, that improvements are constantly made to keep abreast of the times, and the suggestions of the superintendents of the two hospitals always receive the most careful attention of the board and are favorably acted upon whenever their importance and the financial conditions of the respective institutions warrant it.

In the *American Journal of Insanity*, of October, 1898, published under the auspices of the American Medico-Psychological Association, at Baltimore, Md., Dr. C. B. Burr, of Flint, Mich., one of the noted alienists of this country, in an article "A Winter Visit to the Wisconsin County Asylums," incidentally also speaks of the Wisconsin state hospitals, which he visited, as follows:

"The state hospitals are well officered, well organized and have sufficient means to supply such food, medical care, attendance, clothing, amusement, diversion and employment to patients as the primary object of these institutions, the curative care of patients demands. In the county asylums curative treatment is not attempted."

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The board always bears in mind that no costly *experiments* should be made, that in all expenditures the principles of wise economy should be applied, but the members are also decidedly of the opinion, that their main effort should be directed towards an attempt to cure the patients and not only to make as favorable a financial showing as possible, at the expense of that most important end.

The board recognizes the fact that all proper means, like pleasant surroundings in the hospital wards and on the grounds, sufficient and healthful food, amusements and diversions, suitable clothing, attendance and nursing are of as much importance as the technical medical treatment, and all expenses incurred in the lines mentioned will ultimately prove to be the truest economy.

The Ninth Annual Report of the State Commission in Lunacy of the state of New York, a very exhaustive and able one, transmitted to the legislature March 10th, 1898, corroborates the views of your board. We quote from it the following:

"To show the importance of a high grade of maintenance as affecting the wealth of the state, another illustration is pertinent. The average duration of life of an insane person after admission to a state hospital is known to be more than twelve years; but assuming it to be twelve years, the cost at the average rate of maintenance of \$186 per year, would amount for the whole period to \$2,232. During this period the state loses the earnings of the patients, and according to estimates published by Horace Mann forty years ago, the earnings of each inhabitant of the state averaged \$150 per year. Undoubtedly it is much higher at the present time. This would mean an additional loss of \$1,800. The cost of buildings and furniture as fixed by statute for each insane person is \$550. To these sums must be added the interest for the whole period of twelve years at three per cent. This is as low a rate of interest as the state at the present time is able to obtain. The interest would amount to \$1,649, or a total loss by reason of the care and treatment of

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each insane person improved for the whole period of twelve years, of \$6,231. It will be admitted by every one familiar with the subject that by materially lowering the standard of care—in other words—if it were reduced to a mere custodial basis, with inadequate medical service, inadequate nursing, and poor and insufficient food, the recovery rate would drop enormously.

“These figures seem astonishingly large, but in the judgment of the commission they cannot be successfully combatted, and in its judgment the increasing of the number of insane was due to that fact that at no period, certainly up to 1890 were more than one-fourth of the insane in the state given proper care and treatment with reference to the possibility of their discharge as recovered. It is true that insanity apparently is on the increase, but it has been on the increase simply because no sufficient effort has been made to secure recoveries.

“The commission does not undertake to say that the fixed charges for the care of the insane cannot be reduced to some extent. It is now engaged in an effort to institute certain reforms which it is believed will have the effect of reducing the maintenance rate without affecting the recovery rate; but this is a matter which should proceed slowly, for the mere increase of maintaining the insane over the rate which some believe it should maintain is a small matter compared with the ultimate loss to the state.”

These foregoing observations apply with equal force to the conditions in our own state and ought to be given due weight and consideration in determining the true policy in caring for and treating the insane in our state hospitals.

#### COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR THE CHRONIC INSANE.

Since the last report of this board two more county asylums for the care of the chronic insane have been constructed, one in Richland and one in St. Croix county, so that we have now 25 of such institutions in our state, as follows:

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|              |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| Brown,       | Iowa,      | Rock,      |
| Chippewa,    | Jefferson, | Sauk,      |
| Columbia,    | La Crosse, | Sheboygan, |
| Dane,        | Marathon,  | St. Croix, |
| Dodge,       | Manitowoc, | Vernon,    |
| Dunn,        | Milwaukee, | Walworth,  |
| Fond du Lac, | Outagamie, | Winnebago. |
| Grant,       | Racine,    |            |
| Green,       | Richland,  |            |

These institutions had at the close of the year ending September 30th, 1898, 3,235 inmates, and the state paid during the two years ending the same time the sum of \$484,985.32 for their care and maintenance.

Another asylum, in Washington county, is nearly completed and will probably be ready to receive inmates by January 1st, 1899. It will have a capacity of 120 inmates. The county asylum of Manitowoc county has been enlarged so that it now has room for 180 inmates. Some \$43,000.00 have been expended for that purpose and for general improvements and equipments and additional land and it is now one of the most complete and best managed in the state.

The asylum of La Crosse county has also been enlarged, increasing its capacity to 150 inmates.

The care of the chronic insane by buildings erected and owned by the counties is known all over the United States as the Wisconsin system, and is considered by the highest authorities as the best, most humane and also most economical system yet devised.

Wisconsin is today one of the few, if not the only state in the Union, whose insane are all taken care of in either the two hospitals for the insane or in county asylums. Not one insane person is necessarily confined in a poor-house or in a jail or kept in a private family as is the case in almost every other state.

Frequent visits are made to these asylums by the members of the board, and the consultations between them and the superintendents of the several asylums have contributed very ma-

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terially to the welfare of the inmates. As a rule, the superintendents are men of intelligence, in love with their work and readily respond to the suggestions made by the board.

The board of control, as has been done heretofore, renews its recommendation for the erection of a state asylum for the care of the disturbed, dangerous and criminal insane. The removal of these classes of insane from the hospitals and the county asylums and grouping them in one institution would be of great benefit to the other classes of insane, would be as economical and make the Wisconsin system as nearly perfect as any system could be made.

A feasible site could be found at either the two hospitals for the insane; the building need not be very far away from the other buildings; it should be under the same management as the hospital and heated, lighted and subsisted from the existing central plant.

A building with a capacity of 150 should be sufficiently large and it could probably be erected at a cost not to exceed \$60,000.00.

In conclusion the board calls attention to the opinion of Mr. F. B. Sanborn of Concord, Mass., the secretary of the American Social Science Association, a gentleman who has probably visited more hospitals and asylums for the insane than any other living man, either in this country or in Europe, and who is looked upon as an authority by the best posted on this subject. He says: "You ought at least to visit Wisconsin, to see what is going on there, and I venture to say that if you do, your difficulties of theories will disappear. I have since seen a good many institutions, and with the exception of Scotland, which has a better system of laws, quite as well administered, with that single exception, Wisconsin has the best the world can show at this minute, decidedly better than Massachusetts has. I assert that it is better than Michigan, better than Germany with the exception of a single asylum in the province of Saxony, which is better than any American asylum."



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This testimony, from such source, is one of which the state of Wisconsin may well feel proud.

The board has recently instituted a very desirable reform by compelling each county asylum to employ a female night attendant, whose duty it is to look after the female patients during the night, and not permitting any male night watch to enter the dormitories for females except in cases of emergency.

#### COUNTY JAILS.

New jails have been erected within the last two years in the following counties:

Clark, Crawford, La Fayette.

Adams county is now the only county in Wisconsin having no jail. Its prisoners are taken care of by Columbia county.

There are a number of jails in the state which ought to be condemned mainly on account of their unsanitary or unsafe conditions. The board, however, never resorts to this proceeding except when absolutely necessary, as a modern jail, possessing the requisites considered essential, is a costly structure and its construction often proves a heavy burden to the taxpayers.

A good jail ought to be built and managed with reference to the safe-keeping of the prisoners confined therein, their health, their classification or entire separation and the employment of prisoners sentenced for a stated term for a misdemeanor.

The erection in a number of counties of workhouses, where tramps are mainly sent, has greatly relieved the jails. It is a shame to compel persons awaiting trial to occupy the same corridor and associate with vicious and hardened criminals or with dirty and depraved tramps.

The system of keeping our county jails is radically wrong. The sheriff or the jailer as a rule cannot pay any attention to the moral welfare of those under their charge. One cannot expect improvements in the management of our jails, where the

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responsibility is constantly shifting. Even if a sheriff does the best he can after a short time his term has expired and he is ineligible for re-election.

In the opinion of the board it would prove a great reform if our county jails were managed by a local non-partisan board and similar to those now managing our county insane asylums. Take the jail management out of the realm of partisan politics and we will soon witness a decided and very desirable improvement in our jail conditions.

#### INSURANCE OF PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.

On March 26th last, a fire destroyed a part of the buildings of the industrial school for boys at Waukesha, causing a loss to the state of between \$50,000.00 and \$60,000.00. When it was learned that the state of Wisconsin for many years had carried no insurance upon the different institutions under the management of this board, the newspapers of the state manifested great surprise. There existed a tradition among the members of previous boards, which was handed down to the present board, that the insurance of said institutions was prohibited by law. A diligent search, however, failed to disclose such legislation or any action of the legislature indicating the existence of a policy against insurance of public buildings, and after due deliberation and consultation with you, the board arrived at the conclusion that it would be wise and proper to place a limited amount of insurance on each of the institutions under its charge.

The board invited bids by the representatives of our own Wisconsin companies and others. It succeeded in placing the insurance on all the institutions except the state prison at one per cent. for three years or one-third of one per cent. per year and at two and one-half per cent. for three years on the state prison or five-sixths per cent. a year.

The following amounts were placed in companies which received the approval of the insurance commissioner of the state,

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the Wisconsin companies receiving all they can carry under the law:

|  | Amount.            | Premium.        |
|--|--------------------|-----------------|
| State Hospital for the Insane .....    | \$225,000          | \$2,250         |
| Northern Hospital for the Insane ..... | 300,000            | 3,000           |
| School for the Deaf .....              | 75,000             | 750             |
| School for the Blind .....             | 75,000             | 750             |
| Industrial School for Boys .....       | 100,000            | 1,000           |
| State Prison .....                     | 100,000            | 2,500           |
| State Public School .....              | 50,000             | 500             |
| Home for Feeble-minded .....           | 75,000             | 750             |
| <b>Total .....</b>                     | <b>\$1,000,000</b> | <b>\$11,500</b> |

The board submits its action to the legislature. Should the representatives of the people consider it advisable for the state to leave the institutions uninsured, the companies on being advised will cancel the policies after the first year and return to the state the unearned premium.

## STATE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

This institution is under the superintendency of Dr. Wm. B. Lyman since July 1st, 1895.

It has a maximum capacity for 450 patients. The number of admissions to this hospital is constantly increasing.

While during the year ending September 30th, 1893, there were 316, in the year ending September 30th, 1898, 401 new patients were received.

The appearance of the hospital grounds has been greatly beautified, the marsh in front of the main building has been filled, shrubbery planted, cement walks have taken the place of worn-out wooden ones and visitors who have seen many similar institutions pronounce it one of the best appearing, and the location one of the handsomest in the country.

It is indeed an ideal site for a hospital of this kind, delightful to the eye, restful and peculiarly adapted for that repose of body and mind so essential in the treatment of insanity.

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The interior of the hospital buildings, while it is one of the oldest institutions of the state, is very creditable and with a few minor items in first class condition.

The heat and ventilation system, for which during the last two years \$6,052.89 were expended, is now perfect or nearly so. The special appropriation for a new infirmary, the enlargement of the amusement hall, the installation of an elevator and additional rooms provided, has been one of the wisest expenditures to make this institution what it ought to be, a hospital for the cure of the insane.

The detailed report of the superintendent accompanies this report and will impart much valuable information concerning the economics of this institution. It will also appear therein that he recommends special appropriations amounting to \$30,550.00.

These contemplated improvements would doubtless add to the efficiency of the institution, but in view of the fact, that it is now, as stated heretofore, in good condition and mindful also that the two uncompleted institutions, the home for feeble-minded and the Wisconsin state reformatory, will require large appropriations which the board thinks should be allowed, we have under the head of "special appropriations" only requested the granting of a few of the itemized special appropriations, for purposes stated, which we deem absolutely necessary. With these additions the state hospital will get along nicely for the next two years and fill its mission satisfactorily.

Of the appropriation for current expenses, there will remain unused on January 1st, 1899, about \$8,000.00 but from this sum about \$4,000.00 should be deducted on fuel account, owing to inability to procure the same for this winter's consumption before January 1st, which heretofore has been the case, and \$3,000.00 will have to be paid for material and work already contracted, partially completed now and probably completed by January 1st but will not be paid till after January 1st.

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## NORTHERN HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

Dr. W. A. Gordon has been the superintendent of this hospital since July 1st, 1895.

Many improvements have been made at this institution during the last two years and it is today in a condition to compare favorably, as far as its functions as a hospital for the treatment of the insane is concerned, with any in the land. A study of the report of Dr. Gordon to the board and the accompanying tables will impart useful information to all those interested in the proper care of that unfortunate class of people and show that it is the constant aim of the management to alleviate their sufferings and if possible, cure them.

The electric light plant for which the last legislature appropriated \$15,000.00 has been installed and is working satisfactorily.

A building, formerly used for a residence, just west of the hospital, has been converted into a reception house, where every new patient, before entering the hospital, is thoroughly bathed and his clothing sterilized.

The heating system has been rendered more efficient as well as more economical by the introduction of the Paul vacuum system.

Four new boilers with the Hawley down draft furnaces have replaced the old ones, which were not only unsafe but also great coal-eaters.

The grounds have not been neglected; nearly two miles of new walks have been built and two groves of shade trees were planted.

Owing to a number of causes, the omission of the legislature to allow anything for electric fixtures, the replacement of the old boilers, condemned by the inspector, the placing of insurance, of extensive repairs, etc., there will be a deficiency in the appropriation for current expenses by January 1st, 1899, of \$13,000.00.

Superintendent Gordon asks for special appropriations ag-

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gregating \$16,600.00. For the same reasons as set forth in connection with the state hospital at Mendota, the board under the heading of "special appropriations" only asks for the items which they know to be absolutely necessary.

#### SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

Prof. John W. Swiler has been at the head of this school for the last 18 years.

The attendance is slightly increasing; September 30th, 1896, the number of pupils was 171; September 30th, 1897, 191, and the same date of 1898, 193.

On February 1st, 1897, the manual training building was first occupied. \$10,000.00 had been appropriated for the same in 1895. That long wished for department is now a reality and has so far met the expectations of its advocates, and the results attained in it have fully justified the expenditure.

The first floor provides room for wood work, joinery and turning, casting and forging.

The second floor is used by the sewing room, the cooking and the art department. The results of the instruction received by the pupils in this manual training department will prove of great value to both the young men and women after they leave the school in making them self-supporting and useful to society.

The art exhibit of the school at the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf at Columbus, O., in July, 1898, work in wood and iron, embroidery, dresses, needle-work, attracted much attention and commendation.

The literary standing of the school was never higher than now, and the progress in speech by the pupils has been marked.

The deportment of the pupils is admirable; it is a pleasure to meet them, note not only their healthy appearance, but the well-bred behavior toward each other and every one they come in contact with.

The heating and lighting system has been greatly improved; a new tile floor has been put in the lower hall of the main build-

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ing; steel ceilings were put into a number of rooms, a cement walk was laid in front of the boys' building, much of the interior wood-work has been painted and the institution is today in excellent condition and repair.

The board does not wish at this time to enter into a discussion of the merits or demerits of the day-schools for the deaf, but calls attention to the fact that those schools receive from the state \$150.00 for each pupil per year who receive only day school instruction, while at the state school they are provided in addition with board, medical attendance, supervision, instruction in trades, manual training, art, physical culture, and in some cases with clothing at an additional expense of less than \$75.00 per capita per year.

#### THE SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND.

On September 7th, 1895, Mr. Howard F. Bliss assumed the duties of superintendent of the school for the blind.

The attendance at this school is steadily on the increase. The average attendance for the year ending September 30th, 1892, was 74, while for the last, ending September 30th, 1898, it was 111. This school has, however, facilities to care for 50 more children and as there is no doubt among those familiar with the subject that a large number of blind children are to be found in the state, but who for some reason or other do not avail themselves of the benefits of it, the board will endeavor to reach them in some way.

The pipe organ, for which the last legislature appropriated \$3,500.00, was placed in the large assembly hall, is one of the best in the state, and it is confidently expected that the school will now be enabled to turn out some good organists and so make them self-supporting.

The institution is in good repair and very little money will be needed for permanent improvements for some years to come.

The board wishes to call your attention and that of the legislature to the recommendation of Superintendent Bliss, in which

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we join, to the consideration of a state industrial home for the adult blind. It could be erected at a moderate cost on the grounds of this school and would be partially self-supporting. Such a home would be one of the worthiest charities and ought to receive the sympathetic attention of the people's representatives.

#### THE STATE PRISON.

The warden of the state prison is Mr. John J. Roberts, who took charge on July 1st, 1895.

The prison population on September 30th, 1892, was 498. On September 30th, 1897, 610, and September 30th, 1898, 601.

The average during the year ending September 30th, 1892, was 519; for the year ending September 30th, 1897, 598, and for this last year 645.

The prison for a number of years has been over-crowded, so that some of the cells, hardly large enough for one man, had to be occupied by two, and some 20 prisoners had to sleep on cots in the corridors. The completion of one wing of the new state reformatory will, however, greatly relieve the prison and if the legislature will provide the means for an early completion of this new institution as contemplated by the law creating it, the prison could afterwards be re-modeled and the demands of modern penology could better be met.

The health of the prison is worthy of remark, the death rate only being 8-10 of 1 per cent.

The old leaking roofs on the cell-rooms have been replaced by new ones out of the special appropriation of \$5,000.00 made by the legislature of 1897. This has undoubtedly added to the hygiene.

A graded system has been introduced since February last and will prove a great factor for better discipline. Extensive improvements have been made on the prison farm and an adjacent tract of land, containing 48 acres, was purchased at a cost of \$4,250.00, a new barn with a silo has been built. An addition



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to the tailorshop was erected and the blacksmith shop had another story added.

Considering the age of the buildings and its many imperfections from a modern standpoint, they are today in better repair than they have been for many years and the sanitary conditions are better than they have ever been.

The board would recommend and urge improvements which would necessitate the outlay of large sums of money, but since the starting of the new state reformatory we advise a conservative course and a waiting policy for a few years, believing that the interests of the state will be better served if the reformatory shall be completed at as early a date as possible but which will require about as much money for several years as the people should be asked to contribute.

In the clamor by some well-meaning but emotional philanthropists and dreamy sentimentalists for better accommodations and surroundings for the convicts, the patient tax-payer outside of the prison walls should not be overlooked entirely.

The legislature of 1897 enacted a law, chapter 315, providing "that no person hereafter sentenced to imprisonment by any court of the United States whose term of sentence shall exceed eighteen months shall be received at the state prison."

The passage of this law was uncalled for, and deprives the prison of about \$3,000.00 of revenue annually. As the reformatory will soon make more room at the prison, we think that this law may as well be repealed so far as the state prison is concerned.

#### THE HOME FOR THE FEEBLE-MINDED.

On June 11th, 1897, the two cottages built from the appropriation of \$100,000.00 by the legislature of 1895, as well as the laundry and power-house, were thrown open to public inspection.

On June 16th, 1897, the first inmate was received and others were admitted as rapidly as they could be properly organized into groups.

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Dr. A. W. Wilmarth is superintendent and organized the institution, being a specialist in treating that class of persons confined therein.

The legislature of 1897 made a further appropriation of \$75,000.00 which was applied to the laying of steam and water mains and electric cables for all the buildings contemplated in the original plan (which will be about twenty), and for a new barn and the erection of the third cottage to contain 150 inmates. On September 30th, 1898, the number of inmates was 373. Over 200 more are seeking admission and have to be refused as there are no facilities to receive and care for them. Furthermore a considerable number of idiots and epileptics is still distributed in the poor-houses and county asylums for the insane, who now properly belong in this home.

Moreover the institution could be conducted on a much more economical basis if the population were increased to about 600.

In order to accommodate this number the legislature ought to appropriate for the next two years the sum of \$153,000.00 for the following purposes:

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| Three dormitory buildings.....                   | \$60,000 00         |
| School-house, including assembly hall.....       | 20,000 00           |
| Administration building.....                     | 40,000 00           |
| Steam pipe extension and heating apparatus ..... | 10,000 00           |
| Water pipe and sewer extensions.....             | 5,000 00            |
| Electrical work.....                             | 5,000 00            |
| Furnishing .....                                 | 10,000 00           |
| Cement walk.....                                 | 2,000 00            |
| Grading .....                                    | 1,000 00            |
| Total .....                                      | <u>\$153,000 00</u> |

The request for this sum is not made on the principle to ask for more than expected to receive. The buildings asked for will have to be erected sooner or later, and the sooner it is done the better it will be all around and money be saved in the end.

The board confidently trusts that the members of the legislature will see the importance of our suggestion, based upon the

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wisest economy and in the interest of every county in the state, having today persons in their midst who ought to be in the home and who are often a menace to society, a burden to their families and an expense to the community.

In the accompanying report of Superintendent Wilmarth, you will find these words:

"Notwithstanding the provisions made by the state we have not reached a point where it is either wisdom or economy to stop. A letter from a county judge received today cites the case of a girl under 26 who is about to become a mother for the fifth time, all of her offspring being town charges. Letters are constantly received with accounts of mothers left alone, unable to support and care for their healthy offspring because burdened by the care of an idiot child. Stories are recorded of imbecile boys on the streets, unschooled and undisciplined, an evil example and sometimes a menace to younger children. Society should be purged from such elements. Their increase should be obstructed.

"Moreover, the 'home' could be conducted on a more economical basis were our present population increased to 600, to which number the present waiting applicants would nearly bring it. Our per capita expense was materially lowered by the added population of our new building, and it would be still further lessened by further increase in our number."

During the last two years the grounds of the home have been greatly improved, the main drive has been covered with clay and rolled hard so that there is now an excellent road from the entrance of the grounds to the buildings.

Four hundred and thirty-seven trees have been planted, sidewalks laid, a new storage tank provided for the spring, increasing the reserve water supply to be drawn on in case of fire to nearly 25,000 gallons. Seventy acres of land have been cultivated the last summer, the labor being mainly done by groups of large boys from the home, the farm has been by the less intelligent cleared from stones and the pasture from brush.

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Altogether the progress made at this institution has been very marked, brought about in an economical manner and has been creditable to the management and gratifying to the board.

THE STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL.

This school is designed to be a temporary home, a haven of refuge for certain juvenile wards of the state and is in charge of Mr. S. S. Landt, who became its superintendent July 1st, 1895.

The main and most important object of this institution is to find suitable homes for the orphans and neglected children committed to its care; homes where they will be treated as members of the family, as sons and daughters. No child for whom such a home can be found should remain at the institution. To look after them when placed, to see to it that they are well treated and properly educated, and to return them to the school, should this not be the case, is as important as finding a home.

From the fact that on September 30th, 1898, the number of children, wards of the state, and distributed in families, was 1,340, it can readily be understood that the work of properly looking after them requires the services of a number of agents and involves a great deal of time, beside that necessary to investigate homes prior to the placing of children. On the same day the number of children remaining at the school was 141 against 225 on September 30th, 1896, and 283 on the same day of 1895, so that it has been possible to close two of the cottages and dispense with the services of 8 to 10 employes. While this is gratifying from the standpoint of economy, which is always essential, it is even more so as it demonstrates that the real mission of the institution, the finding of fitting homes for the children, has received careful attention, and has resulted so favorably.

The character of the people applying for one of the children is always first thoroughly investigated and after they are placed

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the vigil of the agents in their behalf only ceases when they pass beyond the control of the state board.

During the last biennial period a number of improvements have been inaugurated.

The central steam heating plant, for which the legislature of 1897 made an appropriation, has been installed and is working very satisfactorily. The bathing facilities for the children have been increased; the old and very defective system of sewerage has been replaced by a perfect one and the grounds have been made much more attractive in appearance.

#### WISCONSIN STATE REFORMATORY.

The Wisconsin legislature of 1897 by chapter 346 of the session laws of that year created and established a state institution to be known as "The Wisconsin State Reformatory," to which all male persons, between the ages of 16 and 25, inclusive, who for the first time, so far as can be judicially ascertained, are convicted of felonies, now punishable by confinement in the state prison, or misdemeanors, the maximum penalty for which is imprisonment for one year in a county jail, shall, in the discretion of the judge having jurisdiction, be sentenced; provided, that no person convicted of murder in the first, second or third degree shall be sentenced to said reformatory.

The object of the law is stated to be "The fitting of the inmates for a return to life in the free world the better for their confinement and if possible, reformed." To the student of penology it is a well known fact, that criminals are mainly of two classes: those who were born with criminal instincts and who are moral defectives, called nowadays degenerates, in whom the criminal tendencies are hereditary, and the other class, decidedly the largest of the two, containing persons with normal tendencies but who through evil surroundings, lack of proper education, temptations thrown into their path, have committed

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crimes against society. The first class by the very nature of their shortcomings are incapable of reformation; the second class, at least a majority of them, can, ought to be and at this new institution will be reformed so that the object of the law, as stated heretofore, will be realized.

For the purchase of the site and construction of buildings, \$75,000.00 were appropriated.

The law also provides as follows:

"Section 13. Said board shall as soon as practicable after the selection of the site aforesaid, and the governor's approval of such selection, secure plans and specifications for the necessary buildings of the institution, which when completed, shall have a capacity of 600 inmates, with proper and approved facilities for their cellular separation. Said plans and specifications shall, by said board be submitted to the governor, and on his approval thereof, the said board shall immediately proceed to the erection of such portion of the proposed reformatory as shall furnish the necessary capacity for not less than 150 inmates. This work shall be prosecuted vigorously, and if possible, the institution shall be ready for inmates on or before July 1st, 1898."

The board in order to carry out the foregoing provisions engaged the services of A. C. Clas and John Charles, architects, to prepare said plans and specifications. They were approved by you and the site, having previously been secured in the town of Allouez, Brown county, about 2½ miles from Green Bay and about an equal distance from DePere, for the sum of \$15,000.00 and containing about 195 acres, the contract for the erection of a third of one wing, with a capacity of 104 inmates, was awarded to Hinkley & Powers for the sum of \$28,880.00.

There was on the premises bought the foundation of a factory. The board used it for the erection of a temporary prison with 24 large cells, a school-room, dining room for inmates and one for the officers, a large kitchen, general offices and offices for the superintendent and his assistant, a store, 8 sleeping rooms for

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officers, laundry, ironing room, a cabinet shop, a tailor shop, 2 toilet rooms, a bath with ten shower baths, a boiler room with two large boilers, a pump, engine and dynamo room and a spacious lobby. The cost of this building and all equipments was \$11,800.00.

After completion of the permanent buildings this temporary one will be used for the power-house and coal storage.

Up to September 10th twenty-four inmates had been received by transfer from the state prison and the reformatory commenced operations.

The organic act for the reformatory is quite defective in a number of particulars. The board will prepare such amendments as in their judgment seem necessary and submit them to the legislature for enactment.

#### THE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

To successfully solve the problem of making useful members of society and good citizens out of boys who have been pronounced incorrigible by the authorities and frequently by their own parents, and whose morals and habits have been corrupted by vicious environments and bad associations, requires much thoughtful study, great discrimination, a firm but kind disposition and an unusual amount of patience.

These qualities are rarely combined in one person and therefore the task of selecting a superintendent for the industrial school for boys who will meet all these requirements, is a difficult one.

In choosing a successor to Mr. J. G. Hart, the former superintendent, the board fully realized the importance of a careful choice and finally appointed Prof. Chas. O. Merica to this responsible post, and he took charge of the institution November 1st, 1897.

The results of his management have so far been satisfactory, although he was greatly handicapped by the conflagration, which occurred last March and which necessarily caused a great deal

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of additional work, vigilance and anxiety just at the time when matters had begun to move along smoothly under the new policies of the board, a full synopsis of which will be found in the accompanying report of the superintendent.

The institution is today more of what it should be than ever before. It is something like a boarding-school for boys, a home and a school combined, where habits of industry are acquired, and while the strictest discipline is enforced as it must be, firm kindness is the rule in governing them and they are surrounded by influences which tend to elevate them to higher ideals, greater usefulness and better prepare them to successfully fight the battles of life.

The educational department is under the charge of Professor J. K. McGregor, formerly superintendent of schools of Eau Claire, one of the most successful of educators, and his report will be found exhaustive and interesting.

September 30th, 1898, the number of boys in the institution was 305, and during the preceding year 199 had been paroled. Under the new policy of the board, a field agent is employed whose duty it is to find homes where boys suitable for them can be placed. About 60 boys were so placed during the last year with very satisfactory results. The agent visits these homes at least once a quarter, making a report of the condition of the home and the boys to the superintendent. The result of this innovation has been a lowering of the population of the school, but a larger number of boys out on parole.

The legislature of 1897 appropriated for a central heating plant \$16,000.00 and for baths and improved sanitary appliances \$3,000.00.

These much needed improvements have been installed and have added very greatly to the safety of the buildings from fire and to the health and comfort of the inmates.

After the fire mentioned, the governor, secretary of state and attorney general, acting under section 563 of the revised statutes, authorized the contracting of an indebtedness of



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\$65,000.00 to replace the buildings destroyed and equip them. The buildings so erected and their equipment are much better adapted for the purposes of the institution than the former ones. There is need of an appropriation by the legislature to meet the indebtedness thus incurred.

**SEMI-STATE INSTITUTIONS.**

Three institutions, the Milwaukee county hospital for the insane, the industrial school for girls and the Wisconsin veteran's home, may be called "semi-state institutions" as the state has paid the cost of erection of the buildings either wholly or in part and also contributes to their support. The board of control visits them occasionally as the law requires.

**MILWAUKEE COUNTY HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.**

This hospital is located near the city of Wauwatosa and is intended for the acute insane of Milwaukee county, but contains also a considerable number of chronic cases. For every inmate the state pays Milwaukee county \$2.75 per week and the total sum paid for the two years ending September 30th, 1898, was \$95,709.10. The state also paid one-half of the cost of the whole plant. The institution is efficiently managed and the buildings are well equipped and are in good repair.

Among the accompanying statistical tables much information relative to this hospital will be found.

**INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.**

The industrial school for girls is located at North Point in the city of Milwaukee. It was organized in 1875. The state owns the buildings and makes annual appropriations to keep them in repair.

The legislature of 1897 appropriated for this purpose the sum of \$8,000.00. It is under the control of a board of resident lady managers, designed as a reformatory for vicious, stub-

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born and unruly girls under seventeen years of age and a temporary place of detention for boys and girls under ten. The board of control under existing law has to investigate and supervise this school and all the circumstances affecting its management and usefulness.

Pursuant to this the board, either as a body or a committee visited the institution, during the biennial period from September 30th, 1896, to September, 1898, as follows:

November 10th, 1897; December 23d, 1897; October 21st, 1898.

The board found the institution well conducted and little to criticise. As the law provides that the managers of said school shall make an annual and biennial report to the governor and legislature, the board refers to them for full information concerning the economics and other conditions of the school.

#### WISCONSIN VETERANS' HOME.

The Wisconsin veterans' home is located in the town of Farmington, three miles and a quarter southwest of the city of Waupaca, on Hick's lake, one of the chain of lakes.

The state owns the buildings and grounds and pays \$3.00 per week for each inmate cared for at the home.

The United States government pays to the state \$100.00 per year for every veteran at the institution.

The state paid for this purpose during the two years ending September 30th, 1898, the sum of \$132,343.56 and received from the federal government \$41,703.25 in return.

The home is intended for destitute soldiers, sailors and marines who have been honorably discharged from the service of the federal government, who are residents of this state and who cannot be received into any national home for disabled volunteers, and such destitute women, residents of this state, as are the wives or widows of men who were union soldiers, sailors, or marines during the civil war.

The location of the home is one of the most beautiful in the

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state and the appearance of the buildings is cheerful and home-like.

In the opinion of the board the institution is well and economically managed by a board of trustees and it is to be hoped that the state of Wisconsin will continue to be liberal towards these old soldiers and their dependents and make the few remaining years of their lives as comfortable and contented as their services to their country entitle them to. The reports of this board concerning the home are on file in the executive office.

The report of September 30th, 1898, is as follows:

**MEN.**

| COMPANY A.                 |    | COMPANY C.                 |    |
|----------------------------|----|----------------------------|----|
| Present .....              | 56 | Present .....              | 41 |
| Absent with leave .....    | 23 | Absent with leave .....    | 4  |
| Absent without leave ..... |    | Absent without leave ..... |    |
| Total .....                | 79 | Total .....                | 45 |
| COMPANY B.                 |    | COMPANY D.                 |    |
| Present .....              | 53 | Present .....              | 24 |
| Absent with leave .....    | 11 | Absent with leave .....    | 3  |
| Absent without leave ..... |    | Absent without leave ..... |    |
| Total .....                | 64 | Total .....                | 27 |
| COMPANY E.                 |    | HOSPITAL.                  |    |
| Present .....              | 40 | Present .....              | 69 |
| Absent with leave .....    | 6  | Absent with leave .....    | 10 |
| Absent without leave ..... |    | Absent without leave ..... |    |
| Total .....                | 46 | Total .....                | 79 |

**WOMEN.**

|                                 |     |     |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Present .....                   | 169 |     |
| Absent with leave .....         | 25  |     |
| Absent without leave .....      |     |     |
| Total .....                     | 194 |     |
| Total enrollment of men .....   |     | 340 |
| Total enrollment of women ..... |     | 194 |
|                                 |     | 534 |
| Total absent men .....          | 57  |     |
| Total absent women .....        | 25  |     |
|                                 |     | 82  |
| Total present men .....         | 283 |     |
| Total present women .....       | 169 |     |
|                                 |     | 452 |

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## HOUSE OF CORRECTION OF MILWAUKEE COUNTY.

The house of correction of Milwaukee county is located on Wind Lake Avenue, foot of Fifth Avenue, in the 14th ward of the city of Milwaukee, and is designed as a prison for the punishment of short term criminals from Milwaukee county.

The buildings are old and in poor repair and it is to be hoped that after the new state reformatory is ready to receive inmates, many of the juvenile and first offenders of Milwaukee county will be sent there, where efforts for their redemption will be made.

It is also desirable that steps should be taken to so alter and remodel this institution as to render it more in conformity with modern ideas of penology.

From the last reports of the inspector it appears that there were 217 inmates.

## SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

In making recommendations for "special appropriations" for the nine state institutions in charge of this board, we have as far as possible restricted them to the actual necessities, and although a number of innovations and improvements at several of them would be very welcome and would still further increase the facilities for their usefulness, add to the comforts of the inmates, and to the interior and exterior appearance of the premises, we have, as stated heretofore, appreciated the great desirability of completing the two great unfinished institutions, the home for the feeble-minded and the state reformatory, as early as possible and place them on the best working basis, from the standpoint of economy as well as from that of the purpose for which these two institutions were called into existence, but which necessarily will require a large amount of money.

It is therefore to be hoped that the following table of special appropriations will meet with your approval and the favorable action of the legislature:

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## STATE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE:

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Three new brass washing machines and extractor for laundry | \$2,200 00 |
| Coal carrier and hoppers for Murphy Furnace .....          | 1,500 00   |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$3,700 00 |

## NORTHERN HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE:

|                                 |            |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Steel tank for water tower..... | \$1,200 00 |
| Bath rooms .....                | 2,500 00   |
| Filter for lake water.....      | 900 00     |
|                                 | <hr/>      |
|                                 | \$4,600 00 |

## HOME FOR FEEBLE-MINDED—

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Three Dormitory Buildings.....                  | \$60,000 00  |
| School House and Assembly Hall.....             | 20,000 00    |
| Administration Building.....                    | 40,000 00    |
| Steam pipe extension and heating apparatus..... | 10,000 00    |
| Water pipe and sewer extensions.....            | 5,000 00     |
| Electrical work.....                            | 5,000 00     |
| Furnishing.....                                 | 10,000 00    |
| Cement walk.....                                | 2,000 00     |
| Grading.....                                    | 1,000 00     |
|   | <hr/>        |
|   | \$153,000 00 |

## STATE REFORMATORY—

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|--|--------------|
| For continuation of the erection of the same and equipments, at least..... | \$150,000 00 |
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Respectfully,

RICHARD GUENTHER,  
WM. P. LYON,  
E. R. PETHERICK,  
GEO. W. BISHOP,  
N. B. TREAT.

## Statistical Tables.

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSES

*At the several institutions for the fiscal years ending September 30, 1897 and 1898, after taking into account the supplies on hand at the beginning and close of each year, and receipts and transfers from the different departments.*

| CLASSIFICATION OF<br>ITEMS.                          | STATE HOSPITAL<br>FOR THE INSANE. |           | NORTHERN HOSPITAL<br>FOR THE INSANE. |           | SCHOOL FOR<br>THE DEAF. |            | SCHOOL FOR<br>THE BLIND. |          |
|--|-----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|------------|--------------------------|----------|
|  | 1897.                             | 1898.     | 1897.                                | 1898.     | 1897.                   | 1898.      | 1897.                    | 1898.    |
| Amusement and means<br>of instruction .....          | \$345 78                          | \$492 10  | \$195 97                             | \$462 14  | \$164 17                | \$1,362 47 | .....                    | .....    |
| Barn, farm and garden ..                             | *3,131 75                         | *3,695 81 | *10,336 94                           | *6,465 98 | 48 14                   | 123 44     | 68 96                    | *638 85  |
| Boot and shoe factory ..                             | .....                             | .....     | .....                                | .....     | .....                   | .....      | .....                    | .....    |
| Clothing .....                                       | 6,322 22                          | 3,652 26  | 5,248 35                             | 6,491 29  | 200 65                  | 246 02     | 78 78                    | 71 49    |
| Discharged patients .....                            | 1,046 48                          | 1,532 35  | 1,056 96                             | 1,925 70  | .....                   | .....      | .....                    | .....    |
| Discounts .....                                      | *234 61                           | *175 54   | *235 07                              | *241 84   | *49 32                  | *37 86     | *31 18                   | *20 82   |
| Drug and medical de-<br>partment .....               | 1,682 28                          | 1,425 45  | 1,271 78                             | 1,393 29  | 115 98                  | 282 67     | 208 09                   | 168 20   |
| Engines and boilers .....                            | 863 71                            | 4,162 70  | 4,476 99                             | 6,130 67  | 1,262 44                | 343 08     | 227 38                   | 198 98   |
| Elopers .....  | 119 20                            | 208 26    | 95 27                                | 98 65     | .....                   | .....      | .....                    | .....    |
| Freight and express (not<br>otherwise classified) .. | 34 94                             | 16 91     | 28 40                                | 42 70     | 20 70                   | 25 14      | .....                    | .....    |
| Fire apparatus .....                                 | 13 97                             | .....     | 229 93                               | 544 19    | .....                   | 67 44      | .....                    | .....    |
| Fuel .....   | 10,771 41                         | 10,871 78 | 12,358 06                            | 10,969 76 | 3,055 62                | 3,432 05   | 2,439 72                 | 2,748 54 |
| Furniture .....                                      | 249 11                            | 1,296 05  | 388 25                               | 167 89    | 43 05                   | 329 87     | 125 67                   | 101 76   |
| Gas and other lights .....                           | 2,306 43                          | 1,870 31  | 2,334 91                             | 5,442 68  | 7,358 66                | 2,523 14   | 704 37                   | 103 79   |
| House furnishing .....                               | 4,734 29                          | 2,737 14  | 5,080 36                             | 4,047 55  | 898 94                  | 1,108 50   | 769 88                   | 845 14   |
| Laboratory .....                                     | .....                             | .....     | .....                                | .....     | .....                   | .....      | .....                    | .....    |
| Laundry .....  | 544 63                            | 549 44    | 1,134 15                             | 1,689 03  | 745 04                  | 165 33     | 21 29                    | 152 96   |
| Library .....  | 116 23                            | 123 12    | 479 43                               | 369 93    | 8 75                    | 14 28      | .....                    | .....    |
| Lumber .....   | 49 72                             | .....     | .....                                | .....     | .....                   | .....      | .....                    | .....    |
| Machinery and tools .....                            | 87 49                             | .....     | 294 05                               | 343 94    | 37 92                   | 359 37     | 17 00                    | 3 88     |

## Statistical Tables.

|  |              |              |              |              |             |             |             |             |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Means of instruction...                      | 337 15       | 763 23       | 506 83       | 578 69       | 407 51      | 177 84      | 164 34      | 26 93       |
| Miscellaneous.....                           | 164 09       | 331 04       | 206 24       | 184 61       | 89 38       | 121 39      | 744 79      | 664 51      |
| Officers' expenses.....                      |              |              |              |              | 346 86      | 472 44      | 20 38       | 40 08       |
| Printing office.....                         |              |              |              |              |             |             |             |             |
| Printing, postage, stat'y and telegraph..... | 873 28       | 673 99       | 769 51       | 733 67       | 320 82      | 308 88      | 234 71      | 378 34      |
| Real estate, including buildings, etc.....   | 11,841 52    | 6,639 00     | 9,728 82     | 8,406 36     | 3,273 49    | 893 06      | 400 00      |             |
| Repairs and renewals..                       | 6 50         | 67 20        |              |              |             |             | 3,525 61    | 1,263 51    |
| Restraints.....                              |              |              |              |              | 248 60      | 768 93      |             |             |
| Shoe shop.....                               | 2,818 65     | 2,800 00     | 3,193 72     | 3,200 00     | 1,373 20    | 1,125 00    | 1,130 95    | 840 00      |
| State board of control..                     | 30,593 03    | 31,645 92    | 45,991 20    | 47,531 07    | 8,367 90    | 9,162 51    | 8,261 44    | 9,126 61    |
| Subsistence.....                             |              |              |              |              |             |             |             |             |
| Surgical instruments and appliances.....     | 63 74        | 17 82        | 162 26       | 91 81        |             |             |             |             |
| Tobacco.....                                 | 397 93       | 466 93       | 20 17        | 21 91        |             |             |             |             |
| Wages and salaries.....                      | 40,313 47    | 39,662 95    | 48,395 10    | 47,382 46    | 20,982 79   | 21,727 55   | 13,836 56   | 13,951 59   |
| Work departments.....                        |              |              |              |              |             |             | 92 04       | 147 56      |
| Fire and boiler insur'ce.                    |              | 2,362 50     |              | 3,135 00     |             | 840 00      |             | 840 00      |
| Totals.....                                  | \$116,697 30 | \$114,368 45 | \$143,946 71 | \$151,394 99 | \$49,670 62 | \$45,980 39 | \$33,070 96 | \$31,676 87 |
| *Gains deducted. ....                        | *3,366 36    | *3,871 38    | *10,572 01   | *6,707 22    | *49 32      | *37 86      | *31 18      | *659 67     |
| Net expenditures..                           | \$113,330 94 | \$110,497 07 | \$133,374 70 | \$144,637 77 | \$49,621 30 | \$45,942 53 | \$33,039 78 | \$31,017 20 |
| Deduct receipts for maintenance of inmates   | 2,354 38     | 2,782 28     | 1,085 68     | 915 85       | 175 00      | 25 0        | 96 00       | 120 00      |
| Total costs.....                             | \$110,976 56 | \$107,714 79 | \$132,289 02 | \$143,771 92 | \$49,446 30 | \$45,917 53 | \$32,943 78 | \$30,897 20 |
| Received from counties.                      | 34,501 31    | 36,107 94    | 47,725 63    | 45,720 20    |             |             |             |             |
| Net cost to the state                        | \$76,475 25  | \$71,606 85  | \$84,563 39  | \$98,051 72  |             |             |             |             |

## Statistical Tables.

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSES.—Continued.

*At the several institutions for the fiscal years ending September 30, 1897 and 1898, after taking into account the supplies on hand at the beginning and close of each year, and receipts and transfers from the different departments.*

| CLASSIFICATION OF ITEMS.                        | INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL<br>FOR BOYS. |           | STATE PRISON. |           | STATE PUBLIC<br>SCHOOL. |           | HOME FOR FEEBLE-<br>MINDED. |           |
|---|--------------------------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-----------|
|   | 1897.                          | 1898.     | 1897.         | 1898.     | 1897.                   | 1898.     | 1897.                       | 1898.     |
| Amusements and means of instruction .....       | \$509 87                       | \$150 76  |               |           | \$521 04                | \$206 82  | \$129 27                    | \$401 60  |
| Accounts receivable .....                       |                                |           | *\$756 71     | *\$514 64 | 2,796 16                | 2,288 36  |                             |           |
| Agents' expenses .....                          |                                |           | 1 10          | 17 65     | *2,037 90               | *1,189 97 |                             |           |
| Armory .....                                    | *3 046 98                      | *2,616 92 | *2,712 51     | *2,634 02 |                         |           | *1,754 75                   | *1,596 90 |
| Barn, farm and garden .....                     | 1,158 00                       | 1,631 76  |               |           | 806 70                  | 589 75    |                             |           |
| Boot and shoe factory .....                     |                                |           |               |           | 5,006 27                | 4,110 42  | 328 25                      | 3,214 88  |
| Children's transportation .....                 | 6,851 91                       | 2,673 58  | 8,054 00      | 9,162 29  |                         |           |                             |           |
| Clothing .....                                  |                                |           | 234 26        | 315 03    |                         |           |                             |           |
| Couverts' earnings .....                        |                                |           | 3,943 60      | 4,558 28  |                         |           |                             |           |
| Discharges .....                                |                                |           | *256 98       | *155 76   | *128 88                 | *70 96    | *60 89                      | *165 68   |
| Discounts .....                                 | *153 14                        | *185 60   |               |           |                         |           |                             |           |
| Drug and medical department .....               | 769 27                         | 631 16    | 978 28        | 867 38    | 1,191 63                | 858 67    | 35 33                       | 337 14    |
| Engines and boilers .....                       | 242 54                         | 4,625 60  | 1,232 48      | 1,165 72  | 18 83                   | 250 37    | 74 42                       | 104 07    |
| Elopers .....                                   | 454 92                         | 423 05    |               |           | 34 20                   | 19 62     | 4 00                        | 68 58     |
| Escapes .....                                   |                                |           | 38 58         | 49 10     |                         |           |                             |           |
| Exchanges .....                                 |                                |           | 20 76         | 3 30      |                         |           |                             |           |
| Freight and ex (not otherwise classified) ..... | 5 81                           | 43 75     | 1 15          |           | 7 39                    | 9 70      | 6 10                        | 19 60     |
| Fire apparatus .....                            | 25 78                          | 3,104 95  |               |           | 67 54                   | 57 90     |                             |           |
| Fuel .....                                      | 4,711 27                       | 4,934 90  | 11,039 62     | 10,039 48 | 3,343 45                | 2,906 83  | 707 24                      | 7,771 57  |
| Furniture .....                                 | 243 57                         | 1,259 68  | 43 27         | 203 02    | 489 22                  | 66 21     | 88 82                       | 27 64     |



## Statistical Tables.

|  |             |             |             |              |             |             |             |             |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Gas and other lights .....                             | 1,054 69    | 3,192 63    | 1,503 24    | 797 34       | 1,107 70    | 1,823 10    | 5 55        | 3,286 16    |
| House furnishing .....                                 | 3,478 34    | 7,762 98    | 3,146 83    | 987 70       | 1,672 40    | 1,591 01    | 835 42      | 502 76      |
| Indebtedness .....                                     |             |             | 512 57      | 782 46       |             |             |             |             |
| Laundry .....  | 520 37      | 1,154 70    | 522 52      | 950 59       | 301 38      | 82 91       | 28 49       | 297 78      |
| Library .....  | 33 22       | 35 12       | 24 95       | 69 57        | 10 15       | 4 36        |             | 25 00       |
| Machinery and tools .....                              | 125 66      | 1,709 94    | 5 40        | 169 42       | 13 01       | 17 57       | 33 46       | 14 83       |
| Means of instruction .....                             | 696 46      | 540 62      | 28 54       | 68 39        |             |             |             |             |
| Miscellaneous .....                                    | 720 86      | 399 81      | 838 99      | 613 12       | 434 78      | 282 47      | 683 74      | 410 51      |
| Officers' expenses .....                               | 95 84       | 1,235 45    | 221 05      | 259 18       | 313 80      | 145 69      | 375 67      | 196 05      |
| Printing, postage, station-<br>ery and telegraph ..... | 572 73      | 335 04      | 816 89      | 661 05       | 356 04      | 315 23      | 390 86      | 498 44      |
| Repairs and renewals .....                             | 3,550 19    | 9,491 35    | 3,907 06    | 4,792 89     | 2,103 14    | 2,757 04    | 220 53      | 1,943 85    |
| State board of control .....                           | 1,765 65    | 1,765 00    | 2,415 55    | 2,400 00     | 1,292 45    | 1,065 00    | 1,009 33    | 1,270 00    |
| Stock factory .....                                    | *153 92     | 1,310 85    |             |              |             |             |             |             |
| Subsistence .....                                      | 17,567 99   | 20,677 13   | 27,101 95   | 30,871 16    | 10,862 41   | 10,869 86   | 2,123 88    | 10,402 60   |
| Surgical instruments and<br>appliances .....           |             |             |             |              |             |             |             | 19 01       |
| Tobacco .....  | 21,996 94   | 24, 60 16   | 1,003 41    | 1,116 33     |             |             |             |             |
| Wages and salaries .....                               |             |             | 26,533 48   | 27,621 38    | 17,313 90   | 17,512 75   | 10,223 30   | 22,612 50   |
| Fire and boiler insurance .....                        |             | 1,090 00    |             | 2,612 50     |             | 590 00      |             | 840 00      |
| Totals .....   | \$67,151 88 | \$94,590 37 | \$94,169 53 | \$101,154 33 | \$50,063 59 | \$48,511 64 | \$17,293 61 | \$55,861 47 |
| *Gains deducted .....                                  | *3,353 94   | *2,802 58   | *3,726 20   | *3,324 42    | *2,166 78   | *1,260 93   | *1,815 64   | *165 68     |
| Net expenditures .....                                 | \$63,797 94 | \$91,787 79 | \$90,443 33 | \$97,829 91  | \$47,896 81 | \$47,250 71 | \$15,477 97 | \$55,696 79 |
| Deduct receipts from priso-<br>ner's earnings .....    |             |             | 59,222 29   | 65,301 57    |             |             |             |             |
| Received from counties .....                           | 7,874 76    | 13,313 90   |             |              |             |             |             | 4,612 55    |
| Net cost to state .....                                | \$55,923 18 | \$78,473 89 | \$31,221 04 | \$32,528 34  |             |             |             | \$51,083 14 |

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*Statistical Tables.*


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**TOTAL COST.***Average population, yearly and weekly cost per capita.*

|                                       | TOTAL COST.  |              | AVERAGE POPULATION. |       | YEARLY COST PER CAPITA. |          | WEEKLY COST PER CAPITA. |        |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|-------|-------------------------|----------|-------------------------|--------|
|                                       | 1897.        | 1898.        | 1897.               | 1898. | 1897.                   | 1898.    | 1897.                   | 1898.  |
| State Hospital for the Insane .....   | \$113,330 94 | \$110,497 07 | 405                 | 410   | \$279 83                | \$269 50 | \$5 38                  | \$5 18 |
| Northern Hospital for the Insane..... | 133,374 70   | 144,687 77   | 539                 | 546   | 247 45                  | 264 99   | 4 75                    | 5 09   |
| School for the Deaf..                 | 46,874 90    | 45,942 53    | 139                 | 145   | 337 28                  | 316 84   | 6 48                    | 6 09   |
| School for the Blind..                | 33,039 98    | 31,017 20    | 80                  | 82    | 413 00                  | 378 27   | 7 94                    | 7 27   |
| Industrial School for Boys.....       | 63,797 94    | 91,787 79    | 346                 | 307   | 184 39                  | 298 98   | 3 54                    | 5 75   |
| State Prison.....                     | 90,448 33    | 97,829 91    | 601                 | 645   | 150 48                  | 151 67   | 2 89                    | 2 91   |
| State Public School..                 | 47,869 81    | 47,250 71    | 262                 | 196   | 182 71                  | 241 07   | 3 51                    | 4 63   |
| Home for Feeble Minded.....           | 15,478 47    | 55,695 79    | 42                  | 284   | 368 55                  | 196 11   | 7 08                    | 3 77   |
| Total.....                            | \$544,209 87 | \$624,708 77 | 2,414               | 2,615 | .....                   | .....    | .....                   | .....  |

*Statistical Tables.***MOVEMENT OF POPULATION***In the several institutions for the biennial period ending September 30, 1898.*

|   | STATE HOSPITAL. |       | NORTHERN HOSPITAL. |       | SCHOOL FOR DEAF. |       | SCHOOL FOR BLIND. |       |
|---|-----------------|-------|--------------------|-------|------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|
|   | 1897.           | 1898. | 1897.              | 1898. | 1897.            | 1898. | 1897.             | 1898. |
| Number present or enrolled Oct. 1st, 1896-97..... | 402             | 378   | 520                | 512   | 179              | 191   | 108               | 111   |
| Returned from homes and on leave.....             | 371             | 401   | 398                | 468   | 45               | 41    | 37                | 33    |
| Admitted during the year....                      | 371             | 401   | 398                | 468   | 45               | 41    | 37                | 33    |
| Total.....  | 773             | 779   | 918                | 980   | 224              | 232   | 140               | 144   |
| Discharged recovered.....                         | 91              | 107   |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Discharged improved.....                          | 127             | 89    |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Discharged unimproved.....                        | 137             | 204   |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Died.....   | 38              | 49    | 46                 | 35    |                  | 1     |                   |       |
| Not insane.....                                   | 2               | 2     |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Sent home on leave of absence.....                |                 |       | 177                | 133   |                  |       |                   |       |
| Sent to county asylums.....                       |                 |       | 4                  | 3     |                  |       |                   |       |
| Escaped.....                                      |                 |       |                    |       | 2                | 3     |                   |       |
| Honorable discharges.....                         |                 |       |                    |       | 1                | 4     |                   |       |
| Dismissed as incapable.....                       |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Died in school.....                               |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Dismissed.....                                    |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Gone to other schools.....                        |                 |       |                    |       | 5                | 3     |                   |       |
| Over school age.....                              |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Absentees.....                                    |                 |       |                    |       | 3                | 28    |                   |       |
| Time expired.....                                 |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Graduated.....                                    |                 |       |                    |       | 19               |       | 10                | 4     |
| Dropped during year.....                          |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       | 19                | 35    |
| Suspended.....                                    |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Released on parole.....                           |                 |       | 232                | 264   |                  |       |                   |       |
| Discharged of age.....                            |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Sentence expired or reduced.....                  |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Pardoned.....                                     |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Order of court.....                               |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Transferred to hospitals for insane.....          |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Placed in homes on indenture.....                 |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Returned to counties.....                         |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Transferred to Indus. School.....                 |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Hospital for treatment.....                       |                 |       |                    |       |                  |       |                   |       |
| Number present or enrolled Sept. 30th.....        | 378             | 328   | 512                | 580   | 191              | 193   | 111               | 105   |
| Average for the year....                          | 404             | 403   | 539                | 546   | 184              | 196   | 103               | 111   |

## Statistical Tables.

## MOVEMENT OF POPULATION

In the several institutions for the biennial period ending September 30, 1898.—Continued.

|  | INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL. |       | STATE PRISON. |       | STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL. |       | HOME FOR FEEBLE-MINDED. |       |
|--|--------------------|-------|---------------|-------|----------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|
|  | 1897.              | 1898. | 1897.         | 1898. | 1897.                | 1898. | 1897.                   | 1898. |
| Number present or enrolled Oct. 1st, 1896-97 .....   | 323                | 344   | 582           | 610   | 266                  | 223   | .....                   | 209   |
| Returned from homes and on leave .....               | 43                 | 34    | .....         | ..... | 18                   | 40    | .....                   | ..... |
| Admitted during the year....                         | 169                | 137   | 321           | 363   | 204                  | 113   | 213                     | 186   |
| Total.....   | 540                | 515   | 903           | 973   | 488                  | 376   | .....                   | ..... |
| Discharged recovered.....                            | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Discharged improved .....                            | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Discharged unimproved .....                          | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | 4     |
| Died .....   | 1                  | ..... | 4             | 7     | 1                    | 1     | 3                       | 15    |
| Not insane.....                                      | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Sent home on leave of absence .....                  | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Sent to county asylum .....                          | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Escaped .....  | 14                 | 9     | 2             | 1     | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Honorable discharges .....                           | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Dismissed as incapable .....                         | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Died in school.....                                  | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Dismissed .....                                      | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Gone to other school .....                           | 2                  | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | 1                       | 3     |
| Over school age .....                                | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Absentees .....                                      | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Time expired .....                                   | .....              | ..... | 13            | 12    | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Graduated .....                                      | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Dropped during year .....                            | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Suspended .....                                      | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Released on parole .....                             | 176                | 189   | .....         | 5     | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Discharged of age.....                               | 1                  | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Sentence expired or reduced .....                    | .....              | ..... | 247           | 283   | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Pardoned and sentence commuted .....                 | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Order of court .....                                 | 2                  | ..... | 17            | 23    | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Transferred to hospitals for insane.....             | .....              | ..... | 3             | 7     | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Placed in homes on indenture .....                   | .....              | ..... | 7             | 10    | .....                | ..... | .....                   | ..... |
| Returned to counties.....                            | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | 249                  | 211   | .....                   | ..... |
| Transferred to Industrial School or Reformatory..... | .....              | ..... | .....         | ..... | 29                   | 16    | .....                   | ..... |
| Hospital for treatment.....                          | .....              | ..... | .....         | 24    | 4                    | 1     | .....                   | ..... |
| Number present or enrolled Sept. 30 .....            | 344                | 305   | 610           | 601   | 159                  | 141   | 209                     | 373   |
| Average for the year....                             | 372                | 307   | 598           | 645   | 181                  | 159   | .....                   | ..... |

*Statistical Tables.*

## CURRENT EXPENSE ESTIMATES.

| Institutions.                    | Appropriation terms commence in each odd numbered year on | Estimated appropriations required for biennial term commencing in 1899. | Estimated receipts from counties and other sources for the term. | Total resources for the term. | Per month. | Current expenses for biennial term ending September 30, 1898. |
|----------------------------------|---|---|--|-------------------------------|------------|---|
| State Hospital....               | Jan. 1st.   | \$135,000 00  | \$76,000 00  | \$211,000 00                  | \$3,806 00 | \$222,576 83  |
| Northern Hospital                | Jan. 1st.   | 165,000 00  | 96,900 00  | 261,900 00                    | 10,912 50  | 267,312 06  |
| School for Deaf...               | March 1st.  | 83,000 00   | 1,400 00   | 84,400 00                     | 3,600 00   | 98,314 71   |
| School for Blind...              | March 1st.  | 63,000 00   | *5,800 00  | 70,800 00                     | 2,950 00   | 70,515 96   |
| Industrial School.               | Jan. 1st.   | 115,000 00  | 32,924 00  | 147,924 00                    | 6,163 50   | 148,278 57  |
| State Prison.....                | March 1st.  | 70,000 00   | 130,000 00   | 200,000 00                    | 8,333 33   | 198,030 50  |
| State Public School.....         | March 1st.  | 85,000 00   | None.  | 85,000 00                     | 3,541 66   | 100,380 56  |
| Home for Feeble-Minded.....      | Jan. 1st.   | 75,000 00   | 61,214 00  | 136,214 00                    | 5,675 50   | 86,962 71   |
| Wisconsin State Reformatory..... | April 1st.  | 100,000 00  | None.  | 100,000 00                    | 4,166 67   | 7,598 07  |
| Totals.....                      |   | \$385,000 00  | \$104,238 00   | \$1,299,238 00                | .....      | \$1,199,972 97  |

\* Surplus.

## COUNTY QUOTAS IN HOSPITALS.

Table showing the quota or number of patients each county is entitled to have in the state hospitals for the insane, based upon the population as shown by the census of 1895, taking effect January 1, 1896.

| County.           | Popula-<br>tion. | Quota. | County.           | Popula-<br>tion. | Quota. |
|-------------------|------------------|--------|-------------------|------------------|--------|
| Adams .....       | 7,532            | 5      | Marathon .....    | 38,598           | 24     |
| Ashland .....     | 17,241           | 11     | Marinette .....   | 27,271           | 18     |
| Barron .....      | 20,122           | 13     | Marquette .....   | 10,203           | 7      |
| Bayfield .....    | 12,595           | 8      | Milwaukee .....   | 287,922          | .....  |
| Brown .....       | 45,623           | 30     | Monroe .....      | 26,350           | 18     |
| Buffalo .....     | 16,931           | 11     | Oconto .....      | 18,339           | 12     |
| Burnett .....     | 5,892            | 4      | Oneida .....      | 7,060            | 5      |
| Galumet .....     | 17,744           | 12     | Outagamie .....   | 44,404           | 30     |
| Chippewa .....    | 28,727           | 19     | Ozaukee .....     | 16,545           | 11     |
| Clark .....       | 21,342           | 14     | Pepin .....       | 7,567            | 5      |
| Columbia .....    | 30,868           | 21     | Pierce .....      | 23,040           | 15     |
| Crawford .....    | 17,203           | 11     | Polk .....        | 16,117           | 11     |
| Dane .....        | 61,689           | 44     | Portage .....     | 28,531           | 19     |
| Dodge .....       | 47,851           | 32     | Price .....       | 7,257            | 5      |
| Door .....        | 16,969           | 11     | Racine .....      | 41,110           | 27     |
| Douglas .....     | 29,986           | 20     | Richland .....    | 19,619           | 13     |
| Dunn .....        | 25,006           | 17     | Rock .....        | 48,414           | 32     |
| Eau Claire .....  | 33,172           | 22     | St. Croix .....   | 25,870           | 17     |
| Florence .....    | 2,850            | 2      | Sauk .....        | 32,919           | 22     |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 47,436           | 32     | Sawyer .....      | 3,741            | 2      |
| Forest .....      | 1,238            | 2      | Shawano .....     | 22,573           | 15     |
| Grant .....       | 38,372           | 26     | Sheboygan .....   | 48,396           | 32     |
| Green .....       | 23,420           | 16     | Taylor .....      | 8,498            | 6      |
| Green Lake .....  | 15,939           | 11     | Trempealeau ..... | 21,963           | 15     |
| Iowa .....        | 23,447           | 16     | Vernon .....      | 27,035           | 18     |
| Iron .....        | 5,338            | 4      | Vilas .....       | 3,801            | 3      |
| Jackson .....     | 16,722           | 11     | Walworth .....    | 29,162           | 19     |
| Jefferson .....   | 36,317           | 24     | Washburn .....    | 4,266            | 3      |
| Juneau .....      | 18,754           | 13     | Washington .....  | 24,077           | 16     |
| Kenosha .....     | 17,548           | 12     | Waukesha .....    | 36,562           | 24     |
| Kewaunee .....    | 17,632           | 12     | Waupaca .....     | 30,793           | 21     |
| La Crosse .....   | 43,610           | 29     | Waushara .....    | 15,355           | 10     |
| Lafayette .....   | 21,488           | 14     | Winnebago .....   | 57,627           | 38     |
| Langlade .....    | 11,092           | 7      | Wood .....        | 21,637           | 14     |
| Lincoln .....     | 14,785           | 10     |                   |                  |        |
| Manitowoc .....   | 4,802            | 27     | Total .....       | 1,937,915        | 1,100  |

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**EIGHTH BIENNIAL REPORT**

**OF THE**

**Wisconsin State Hospital for the  
Insane**

**FOR THE**

**Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.**

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## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:— In compliance with the duty imposed upon me, I submit this, the Eighth Biennial Report of the State Hospital for the Insane, to your honorable body.

It will be noted I have continued the statistical tables in the same order and number as formerly, although under the present law discharging all patients, regardless of their condition, on parole, the tables have value merely for use in making comparisons as to the results of treatment under present conditions with those in the past, of this institution, and with other institutions.

The steady increase of the number of new cases 1893, 316; 1894, 331; 1895, 364; 1896, 391; 1897, 371; 1898, 401; as shown in the previous numbers given, emphasizes the first section of my last report. Our capacity is only sufficient to care for an average of 400 patients and, with *this* number, we have too few isolated rooms to sleep noisy and disturbed patients and those we have are in too close proximity to the quiet wards. Receiving annually at this time as many new cases as our average capacity for treatment, requires us to transfer many cases while they are violent and disturbed to county asylums where one or two such patients break the sleep and rest of the whole number there kept, we being limited to one year's treatment on an average for each patient and to less than this for some disturbed patients because of the limited room on those wards. Allow me, therefore, to again urge that provision be made for these cases in accordance with my last report.

It may seem strange, without second thought, that the appropriation asked for is as large as heretofore when the average number of patients is so much less. Besides the fact mentioned in my last report, that it has been the chronic working patients

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that have gone, leaving the detail housework to greater extent to be performed by the attendants; it must also be remembered that the expense attendant upon treating so large a number of first admissions is proportionately greater and that we are deprived of the revenue received from counties for maintenance for the larger number of patients. I cite an example in the fact that at one time we had among the female patients alone 29 that were suicidal, in whom the propensity was presumed to be active, making it necessary to materially strengthen our night-watch force; and the infirmary for the physically sick has increased the force of nurses 6 in number. We now require 6 night nurses besides the usual 2 night watches, and the additional wages so paid accounts entirely for the larger pay roll.

A large amount has been expended in the past 2 years for extraordinary repairs and renewals — as follows:

|   |            |             |
|---|------------|-------------|
| Filling in marsh in front of building at lake .....                                   | \$1,347 43 |             |
| Shrubbery, berry bushes, etc .....  | 428 56     |             |
| Wire fencing front of building and along new drive .....                              | 260 07     |             |
| Brick paving between cold storage and building .....                                  | 421 68     |             |
| Cement sidewalk in place of old walks .....   | 1,628 90   |             |
| Improvement of heat and ventilating system .....                                      | 6,052 89   |             |
| Repairing laundry necessitated by new boilers .....                                   | 219 53     |             |
| Extra labor of steamfitter and mason .....  | 430 26     |             |
| Finishing new sewing room, dining room, etc.,<br>made necessary by new addition ..... | 1,885 46   |             |
| And in general repairs, besides the above items,<br>lumber to the amount of .....     | 1,574 62   |             |
| Some of which was used in the above work.   |            |             |
| Total .....   |            | \$14,279 40 |
| It has been necessary to buy additional cows .....                                    | \$635 00   |             |
| And horses .....  | 500 00     |             |
| Fire and boiler insurance .....   | 2,362 50   |             |
| Making .....  |            | \$17,776 90 |
| expended in this way from the general fund.   |            |             |

The amount left from special appropriations should be turned back into the treasury as the labor is completed on fire escapes, new boilers, and new addition. As regards the new pumping station, after consideration it was determined to only use the portion of this appropriation necessary to put in good repair our present pumping apparatus and furnish the additional hy-

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drants and water pipe that were necessary — considering that we would likely soon have an electrical light and power plant, at which time we should install electrical pumps because of their economy. And it was not deemed best to build a new building — at any rate not before the power could be transmitted in this way. This leaves a large amount in this appropriation that may be properly covered back into the treasury, unless it seems best to retain the amount for the electric pump, etc., necessary hereafter.

The requirements for the next biennial period which should be met by special appropriations are as follows:

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| 3 new brass washing machines and sterilizer for laundry ..... | \$1,800 00       |
| 1 new extractor for laundry .....                             | 400 00           |
| 1,500 ft. of fire hose and cart .....                         | 1,800 00         |
| Sewer pipe to replace old sewers .....                        | 500 00           |
|   | <hr/> \$4,500 00 |

This amount will have to be expended from the general fund unless special appropriations are obtained. An electric light power and pumping station would materially reduce the danger from fire as well as to somewhat reduce the expense of lighting, since the exhaust steam can be utilized for heating in the winter time.

The appropriation required would be.....\$18,000 00

Since the city of Madison has ceased to empty sewerage into the lake, it seems especially incumbent upon us to make other disposition of that from the institution—and the method I would propose would be a pumping station to pump the sewerage back of the buildings upon the farm, since the land is becoming much impoverished.

The appropriation required would be..... \$3,500 00

I also recommend that a coal carrier and hoppers be installed to feed the Murphy furnaces, since the labor of bringing coal in by wheelbarrows is too arduous for the patients and it will be necessary to hire it done.

The appropriation necessary would be..... \$1,500 00

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The beds of the Institution are not suitable beds, and the springs are largely worn out. There should be 500 iron beds with woven wire mattresses purchased.

The appropriation necessary would be..... \$2,250 00

A Turkish bath should be fitted up, which would supply a much needed want.

The appropriation necessary would be..... \$800 00

With these wants supplied, I believe this institution would be model in its equipment and furnishings. The entire absence of political recommendations and the full authority given the superintendent in the employment of the necessary attendants and help is to be especially commended.

I desire to submit the following tables for information concerning the economies of the institution:

A standard dietary prepared for insane hospitals in the state of New York by Prof. Austin Flint, gives the following quantities of staple articles as the physiological requirements per capita—inclusive of chronic and demented cases, of which there are so many in these institutions,—exclusive of "extra diet" in special cases and fresh vegetables and fruits.

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Meat with bone inclusive, salted meats, fresh and salted fish, and poultry ..... | 12 oz.  |
| Flour, cornmeal and macaroni .....   | 12 oz.  |
| One egg.....   | 2 oz.   |
| Sugar.....   | 2 oz.   |
| Butter .....   | 2 oz.   |
| Cheese.....  | 1 oz.   |
| Rice, hominy or oatmeal.....   | 1 ½ oz. |
| Beans or peas.....   | 1 ½ oz. |
| Coffee in berry and roasted.....   | 5-6 oz. |
| Tea (black).....   | ½ oz.   |

The suggestion is made that cheese may be made interchangeable with butter if not relished by patients, in the proportion of 1 oz. of butter to 2 oz. of cheese.

It will be noted how very closely our dietary conforms to this prescribed one, considering the amount of eggs and sugar used necessarily for extra diet in our treatment of so many acute

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cases, and the habitual use of large quantities of sugar by the Scandinavian race, of whom we treat so many.

It will be noted that the quantity of flour is very small. This is accounted for by the large number of potatoes that are fed, and raised on the farm. The meat ration is higher because of the large quantity of pork that is used, which cannot be economized so closely because of the waste, but is raised on the farm, and the larger proportion of the population actively employed. In 1898, over 2,000 meals were furnished to men employed in building and contract work, of which no account is taken.

Of course, no argument is necessary to show the necessity of liberal feeding in the treatment of the acute insane, since more cases recover as a result of this than of all other means or methods employed, combined. It is to be remembered that the figures here given include all waste. I regard the showing as excellent in its conformity to recognized standards.

*Quantity consumed per day per person of principal articles of diet.*

|   | 1897.         | 1898.          |
|---|---------------|----------------|
| Meats; poultry, fish, etc., inclusive of quantity raised on farm .....            | oz.<br>13.11  | oz.<br>13.900  |
| Flour, inclusive of crackers, cornmeal, cornstarch, hominy, sago, rice, etc. .... | 10.08         | 9.560          |
| Sugar; white and maple .....  | 2.87          | 2.740          |
| Butter .....  | 2.35          | 2.200          |
| Cheese .....  | .17           | .180           |
| Coffee .....  | .49           | .505           |
| Tea .....   | .12           | .104           |
| Eggs .....  | each.<br>1.27 | each.<br>1.140 |

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The following table shows the average cost of staple articles of diet purchased during the years 1897 and 1898:

|  | 1897.                 |                 |                                   | 1898.      |              |              |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------|--------------|--------------|
|  | Cost.                 | ANNUAL COST.    |                                   | Cost.      | ANNUAL COST. |              |
|  | Per pound.            | Per person.     | Per patient.                      | Per pound. | Per person.  | Per patient. |
| Fresh meat.....                        | \$ .0663              | \$14 00         | \$18 37                           | \$ .0707   | \$13 43      | \$17 68      |
| Poultry .....                          | .0790                 | 76              | 99                                | .0841      | 62           | 82           |
| Sugar .....                            | .0460                 | 2 97            | 3 90                              | .0532      | 3 23         | 4 27         |
| Butter .....                           | .1650                 | 8 86            | 11 63                             | .1882      | 9 46         | 12 44        |
| Coffee.....                            | .1680                 | 1 86            | 2 44                              | .1546      | 1 72         | 2 25         |
| Tea .....                              | .2100                 | 59              | 78                                | .2688      | 51           | 67           |
| Eggs .....                             | .1020                 | 3 97            | 5 20                              | .1049      | 3 38         | 4 44         |
| Flour, 1 car load on hand end 1898.... | 3.8270                | 4 04            | 5 30                              | 4.6320     | 6 14         | 8 08         |
| Distilled liquor for two years .....   | Per gallon.<br>2.7000 | Per year.<br>76 | Per day.<br>.0021<br>Per patient. |            |              |              |

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The following table shows the cost of subsistence for each person inclusive of employes, and for each patient exclusive of employes. The reason that more meat could be fed at less cost in 1898 than in 1897, even though the price per pound is higher, is because of the larger quantity of pork raised on the farm, of which no account is taken in the cost:

|  | 1897.      |          | 1898.      |          |
|--|------------|----------|------------|----------|
|  | Per annum. | Per day. | Per annum. | Per day. |
| Fruit — green, dried; canned, &c . . . . .   | 3.246      | .0097    | 3.630      | .0099    |
| Meat . . . . .   | 18.417     | .0501    | 16.560     | .0453    |
| Sugar . . . . .  | 3.532      | .0098    | 3.610      | .0098    |
| Butter . . . . .   | 8.861      | .0243    | 9.460      | .0260    |
| Coffee . . . . .   | 1.863      | .0051    | 1.711      | .0047    |
| Tea . . . . .  | .597       | .0016    | .510       | .0014    |
| Eggs . . . . .   | 3.970      | .0108    | 3.380      | .0093    |
| Flour, &c., inclusive of cornmeal, starch, rice, crackers, hominy, tapioca, sago, wheat, oatmeal . . . . . | 4.633      | .0127    | 6.040      | .0165    |
| Spices, extracts, salt, yeast, vinegar, catsup, &c . . . . .   | .868       | .0023    | .530       | .0015    |
| Vegetables, inclusive of seed potatoes . . . . .   | 1.470      | .0040    | .738       | .0021    |
| Miscellaneous — pickles, olives, olive oil, wafers, beans, nuts, mincemeat, jelly, &c . . . . .            | .966       | .0026    | .846       | .0024    |
| Freight . . . . .  | 1.507      | .0041    | 1.072      | .0029    |
| Totals . . . . .   | 49.730     | .1367    | 48.500     | .1328    |
| Per patient . . . . .  | 65.260     | .1790    | 63.770     | .1747    |

It will be noted, regardless of higher prices paid, we have been able to feed cheaper in 1898 than in 1897, due largely to products of the farm not reckoned in the cost.

The following two tables will show why the per capita cost is higher in the small than in the larger hospitals, and why it is larger in institutions for the acute insane where there are few trusty and capable patients to perform the work, than in those that have the laboring class of chronic patients to care

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for, that perform the same duties year after year, thereby lessening the number of hired employes.

There are employed — exclusive of supervisors and special attendants — at this hospital:

24 female ward attendants in day time, or an average of 1 to 7 patients.

22 male ward attendants in day time, or an average of 1 to 10.5 patients.

Total average day attendants to patients, 1 to 8 patients.

4 female night attendants and watches, or an average of 1 to 45 patients.

4 male night attendants and watches, or an average of 1 to 60 patients.

It will be seen this number is less than in any New York hospital for this class of cases, and in fact for the total of the cases, both acute and chronic, in most instances.

The cost of medical services, also, is less than in the average of institutions where all the chronic, as well as the acute, patients are cared for. The cost of boarding and clothing patients compares very favorably with other institutions, considering that we feed an average of 1 employe to every 3.2 patients; where in larger institutions the average is usually 1 to 4.5 or higher, which makes a difference of 25 per cent. in per capita cost of subsistence.

There can necessarily be no comparison in cost of other items given below, with other institutions, because the conditions so obviously differ — and a comparison of the same statistics from year to year in this institution is unjust because of the difference in the inventory at the end of the year, the amount of clothing contributed by friends, the amount of repairs, and the quantity of furnishings replaced. I submit the tables merely as a matter of information and interest. Please note the large amount expended in repairs and renewals from the general fund — \$35.20 in 1897 and \$15.79 (inclusive of amount made necessary by new addition in 1898), which, with \$7.93 and \$7.95 per capita cost each year respectively added for carpenters', masons', upholsterers', and painters' wages, makes the enormous total



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expenditures from the general fund of \$43.13 in 1897 and \$23.74 in 1898 per patient for repairs and improvements.

In an institution with an average of 800 patients, the whole money expended under items No. 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of the analyzed pay roll would be practically the same as now; while items Nos. 1 and 5 would be proportionately increased. And of the other table, the whole money expended under items Nos. 1, 2, 8, 9, 13 would not be much increased, while items Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11 would be considerably increased but not proportionately. This offers the best argument I know of for locating buildings for the disturbed chronic insane, which are recommended in my report, at this institution.

*Approximate per capita cost of analyzed pay roll.*

|  | 1897.            | 1898.   |
|--|------------------|---------|
| 1. Medical services, inc. superintendent .....           | \$10 54          | \$10 71 |
| 2. Officers' salaries, inc. stenographer and bookkeeper. | 8 78             | 8 29    |
| 3. Kitchen, butcher, dairy, bakery and porters .....     | 8 81             | 8 84    |
| 4. Housemaids and seamstresses .....                     | 5 55             | 5 20    |
| 5. Attendants, night and day, inc. supervisors .....     | 39 60            | 38 27   |
| 6. Night watch, exclusive night attendant .....          | 2 13             | 1 67    |
| 7. Carpenter, mason, upholsterer and painter (repairs).  | 7 93             | 7 95    |
| 8. Laundry .....   | 4 39             | 4 43    |
| 9. Barn, farm, garden, lawn and truck .....              | 6 22             | 6 80    |
| 10. Engine house and gas .....                           | 6 23             | 6 51    |
| Special attendant 1897 .....                             | \$49.00 not inc. |         |
| Special attendant 1898 .....                             | 785.95 not inc.  |         |

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|   | 1897.  |         | 1898. |         |
|---|--------|---------|-------|---------|
|   | Year.  | Week.   | Year. | Week.   |
| 1. Amusements .....   | \$1 48 | \$ .028 | \$ 81 | \$ .016 |
| 2. Books and stationery, postage and telegraph .....                  | 2 63   | .050    | 2 40  | .046    |
| 3. Heat, light and power .....  | 27 48  | .528    | 33 80 | .650    |
| 4. Medical supplies .....   | 4 39   | .084    | 3 05  | .059    |
| 5. Miscellaneous .....  | 82     | .016    | 1 29  | .025    |
| 6. R. R. fare, official travel and discharge and transfer patients... | 3 29   | .063    | 4 94  | .092    |
| 7. Board and clothing patients, less amount paid by friends .....     | 76 43  | 1.470   | 70 35 | 1.353   |
| 8. Repairs and renewals .....   | 35 20  | .677    | 11 13 | .214    |
| 9. Barn, farm and garden .....  | 10 85  | .208    | 6 01  | .115    |
| 10. House furnishings, dishes, bedding, furniture, etc. ....          | 13 44  | .258    | 12 99 | .249    |
| 11. Laundry .....   | 91     | .018    | 1 05  | .020    |
| 12. New addition .....  |        |         | 4 66  | .089    |
| 13. Insurance .....   |        |         | 5.86  | .113    |

As it was left with the past generation to dispense with the shackles, prison cells and poorhouses in caring for the insane, so it is left for the present generation to advance beyond present methods. As with the sane so with the insane, environment wields the greatest influence upon thought and action, association with the sane, not with the insane, is the only rational treatment for acutely diseased minds. Regimenting and marching large squads of insane patients for exercise and seating 30 to 40 with 3 or 4 sane minds to watch over them, is not proper curative treatment. The rational method of providing an attendant with each patient—or, at most, each two patients—will ensue, thereby increasing recoveries 50 per cent. and from a financial point of view alone, remunerate the state more than a hundred fold. Let each patient have at least half the constant attention of a nurse while the mind can yet be moulded, before the stage of dementia arrives, and much good

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must result. The narrow view of immediate expense must be laid aside to obtain the best. Hail the day! How soon?

I wish to extend my acknowledgment to the officers who have so faithfully discharged their duties, and trust that we may ever merit your full confidence.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. B. LYMAN,

*Superintendent State Hospital for Insane.*

Mendota, Sept. 30, 1898.

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**STATISTICAL TABLES.**


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TABLE No. 1.

*Movement of population.*

|                                 | 1897. |         |        | 1898. |         |        |
|---------------------------------|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|--------|
|                                 | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male. | Female. | Total. |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1896.....   | 239   | 163     | 402    | ..... | .....   | .....  |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1897.....   | ..... | .....   | .....  | 224   | 154     | 378    |
| Admitted during year.....       | 222   | 149     | 371    | 245   | 156     | 401    |
| Whole number treated.....       | 461   | 312     | 773    | 469   | 310     | 779    |
| Discharged recovered.....       | 60    | 31      | 91     | 82    | 25      | 107    |
| Discharged improved.....        | 82    | 45      | 127    | 46    | 43      | 89     |
| Discharged unimproved.....      | 67    | 70      | 137    | 118   | 86      | 204    |
| Died.....                       | 28    | 10      | 38     | 30    | 19      | 49     |
| Not insane.....                 | ..... | 2       | 2      | ..... | 2       | 2      |
| Whole number discharged.....    | 237   | 158     | 395    | 276   | 175     | 451    |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1897.....   | 224   | 154     | 378    | ..... | .....   | .....  |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1898.....   | ..... | .....   | .....  | 193   | 135     | 328    |
| Discharged improved, going home | 36    | 21      | 57     | 15    | 34      | 49     |
| Daily average under treatment.. | 239   | 165     | 404    | 231   | 172     | 403    |

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TABLE No. 2.

*Admissions and discharges from beginning of hospital.*

|                             | 1897. |              |        | 1898. |              |        |
|-----------------------------|-------|--------------|--------|-------|--------------|--------|
|                             | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
| Admitted .....              | 4,376 | 3,372        | 7,748  | 4,621 | 3,528        | 8,149  |
| Discharged recovered .....  | 1,241 | 921          | 2,162  | 1,323 | 946          | 2,269  |
| Discharged improved .....   | 1,180 | 872          | 2,052  | 1,226 | 915          | 2,141  |
| Discharged unimproved ..... | 1,139 | 991          | 2,130  | 1,257 | 1,077        | 2,334  |
| Died .....                  | 581   | 426          | 1,007  | 611   | 445          | 1,056  |
| Not insane .....            | 11    | 8            | 19     | 11    | 10           | 21     |

TABLE No. 3.

*Number attacked at various ages during 1897 and 1898.*

|                               | 1897. |              |        | 1898. |              |        |
|-------------------------------|-------|--------------|--------|-------|--------------|--------|
|                               | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
| Less than 15 years .....      | 3     | 2            | 5      | 1     | .....        | 1      |
| Between 15 and 20 years ..... | 6     | 8            | 14     | 10    | 1            | 11     |
| Between 20 and 30 years ..... | 60    | 39           | 99     | 55    | 43           | 98     |
| Between 30 and 40 years ..... | 45    | 44           | 89     | 64    | 43           | 107    |
| Between 40 and 50 years ..... | 46    | 22           | 68     | 43    | 31           | 74     |
| Between 50 and 60 years ..... | 29    | 14           | 43     | 36    | 19           | 55     |
| Over 60 years .....           | 32    | 18           | 50     | 33    | 17           | 50     |
| Unknown .....                 | 1     | .....        | 1      | 3     | .....        | 3      |
| Not insane .....              | ..... | 2            | 2      | ..... | 2            | 2      |
| Total .....                   | 222   | 149          | 371    | 245   | 156          | 401    |

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TABLE No. 4.

*Number at each age from beginning of hospital.*

|                              | WHEN ATTACKED. |         |        |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------|--------|
|                              | Male.          | Female. | Total. |
| Less than 15 years .....     | 80             | 54      | 134    |
| Between 15 and 20 years..... | 340            | 252     | 592    |
| Between 20 and 30 years..... | 1,265          | 1,048   | 2,313  |
| Between 30 and 40 years..... | 1,042          | 928     | 1,970  |
| Between 40 and 50 years..... | 783            | 569     | 1,352  |
| Between 50 and 60 years..... | 482            | 342     | 824    |
| Over 60 years .....          | 403            | 218     | 621    |
| Unknown.....                 | 215            | 107     | 322    |
| Not insane.....              | 11             | 10      | 21     |
| Total.....                   | 4,621          | 3,528   | 8,149  |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 5.

*Nativity of patients admitted.*

| Nativity.        | 1897. | 1898. | From<br>begin-<br>ning. | Nativity.         | 1897. | 1898. | From<br>begin-<br>ning. |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------|
| Austria .....    | 5     | 1     | 26                      | West Indies.....  |       |       | 1                       |
| Bavaria .....    | 1     |       | 16                      | Alabama .....     |       |       | 3                       |
| Belgium .....    |       | 1     | 4                       | Arkansas .....    |       |       | 1                       |
| Bohemia .....    | 2     | 2     | 9                       | California .....  | 1     |       | 2                       |
| Canada .....     | 7     | 13    | 181                     | Connecticut.....  | 1     | 3     | 78                      |
| China .....      |       |       | 1                       | Georgia .....     |       |       | 1                       |
| Cuba .....       |       | 1     | 4                       | Illinois .....    | 2     | 8     | 99                      |
| Denmark .....    | 2     | 5     | 69                      | Indiana .....     | 4     | 4     | 71                      |
| England .....    | 4     | 8     | 285                     | Iowa .....        | 2     | 1     | 40                      |
| Finland .....    | 1     | 2     | 4                       | Kansas .....      |       | 1     | 2                       |
| France .....     | 1     |       | 16                      | Kentucky .....    | 2     | 2     | 20                      |
| Germany .....    | 37    | 36    | 1,043                   | Maine .....       | 2     | 2     | 88                      |
| Holland .....    |       | 1     | 6                       | Maryland .....    |       |       | 4                       |
| Hungary .....    |       |       | 1                       | Massachusetts..   | 2     | 2     | 95                      |
| Ireland .....    | 19    | 12    | 616                     | Michigan.....     | 2     |       | 44                      |
| Isle of Man..... |       |       | 3                       | Minnesota.....    | 6     | 6     | 46                      |
| Isle of Wight..  |       |       | 1                       | Mississippi ..... |       |       | 1                       |
| Italy .....      | 1     |       | 9                       | Missouri .....    |       |       | 9                       |
| New Brunswick    | 1     | 1     | 15                      | Nebraska .....    | 1     |       | 2                       |
| Newfoundland..   |       |       | 1                       | New Hampshire..   |       | 1     | 57                      |
| New Zealand ..   |       |       | 1                       | New Jersey.....   |       |       | 23                      |
| Norway .....     | 36    | 43    | 851                     | New York.....     | 22    | 28    | 903                     |
| Nova Scotia....  |       |       | 17                      | North Carolina..  |       |       | 4                       |
| On Ocean .....   |       |       | 7                       | Ohio .....        | 7     | 14    | 232                     |
| Peru .....       |       |       | 1                       | Pennsylvania...   | 9     | 8     | 233                     |
| Poland .....     |       | 2     | 18                      | Rhode Island...   |       | 1     | 7                       |
| Prussia .....    | 2     | 1     | 7                       | South Carolina..  | 1     |       | 9                       |
| Russia .....     | 2     | 1     | 6                       | Tennessee.....    |       | 1     | 6                       |
| Scotland .....   | 6     | 2     | 73                      | Vermont .....     | 2     | 2     | 132                     |
| Sweden .....     | 16    | 23    | 193                     | Virginia.....     | 1     |       | 24                      |
| Switzerland ...  | 4     | 5     | 97                      | Wisconsin.....    | 144   | 142   | 2,425                   |
| United States .. | 7     | 3     | 75                      |                   |       |       |                         |
| Unknown .....    | 5     | 10    | 196                     | Total.....        | 371   | 401   | 8,149                   |
| Wales.....       | 1     | 2     | 61                      |                   |       |       |                         |

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TABLE No. 6.

*Residence of patients admitted.*

| COUNTY.              | 1897.     |                 | 1898.     |                 |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|
|                      | Admitted. | Re-<br>maining. | Admitted. | Re-<br>maining. |
| Adams .....          |           | 2               | 2         | 3               |
| Ashland .....        | 2         | 2               |           |                 |
| Barron .....         | 4         | 7               | 9         | 7               |
| Buffalo .....        | 4         | 11              | 3         | 6               |
| Burnett .....        | 2         | 5               | 1         | 1               |
| Chippewa .....       | 13        | 12              | 15        | 11              |
| Clark .....          | 5         | 10              | 3         | 4               |
| Columbia .....       | 15        | 10              | 10        | 9               |
| Crawford .....       | 4         | 8               | 6         | 6               |
| Dane .....           | 37        | 29              | 45        | 29              |
| Dodge .....          |           |                 |           |                 |
| Douglas .....        | 24        | 21              | 24        | 22              |
| Dunn .....           | 9         | 11              | 5         | 6               |
| Eau Claire .....     | 13        | 16              | 24        | 12              |
| Grant .....          | 11        | 14              | 23        | 14              |
| Green .....          | 7         | 9               | 8         | 6               |
| Iowa .....           | 6         | 6               | 10        | 6               |
| Jackson .....        | 3         | 6               | 8         | 7               |
| Juneau .....         | 15        | 17              | 11        | 14              |
| La Crosse .....      | 21        | 22              | 30        | 20              |
| Lafayette .....      | 10        | 8               | 12        | 7               |
| Marquette .....      | 1         | 1               |           |                 |
| Monroe .....         | 7         | 12              | 19        | 8               |
| Pepin .....          | 3         | 2               | 7         | 7               |
| Pierce .....         | 12        | 10              | 11        | 9               |
| Polk .....           | 7         | 10              | 8         | 9               |
| Richland .....       | 11        | 9               | 15        | 11              |
| Rock .....           | 22        | 13              | 34        | 21              |
| Sauk .....           | 24        | 18              | 14        | 12              |
| Sawyer .....         | 2         | 2               | 1         | 2               |
| St. Croix .....      | 11        | 11              | 6         | 6               |
| Trempealeau .....    | 12        | 10              | 12        | 6               |
| Vernon .....         | 13        | 13              | 11        | 15              |
| Walworth .....       | 13        | 12              | 7         | 7               |
| Washburn .....       | 5         | 3               | 4         | 4               |
| Wood .....           | 1         | 1               | 1         |                 |
| State at Large ..... | 22        | 25              | 11        | 21              |
| Total .....          | 371       | 395             | 401       | 328             |



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TABLE NO. 7.

*Duration of insanity before entrance of those admitted.*

| DURATION.                 | 1897. |         |        | 1898. |         |        | FROM THE BE-<br>GINNING. |         |        |
|---------------------------|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|--------|--------------------------|---------|--------|
|                           | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male.                    | Female. | Total. |
| Less than 3 months.....   | 55    | 32      | 87     | 67    | 48      | 115    | 1,413                    | 987     | 2,400  |
| Between 3 and 6 months    | 26    | 20      | 46     | 25    | 11      | 36     | 501                      | 422     | 923    |
| Between 6 and 12 months   | 18    | 11      | 29     | 23    | 16      | 39     | 517                      | 422     | 939    |
| Between 1 and 2 years ..  | 24    | 12      | 36     | 27    | 14      | 41     | 450                      | 321     | 771    |
| Between 2 and 3 years ..  | 17    | 8       | 25     | 16    | 16      | 32     | 311                      | 226     | 537    |
| Between 3 and 5 years ..  | 24    | 14      | 38     | 17    | 15      | 32     | 357                      | 286     | 643    |
| Between 5 and 10 years .. | 18    | 21      | 39     | 29    | 16      | 45     | 308                      | 320     | 628    |
| Between 10 and 20 years.  | 5     | 8       | 13     | 12    | 10      | 22     | 169                      | 195     | 364    |
| Between 20 and 30 years.  | 2     | 1       | 3      | 2     | ....    | 2      | 47                       | 40      | 87     |
| Over 30 years.....        | 2     | 1       | 3      | 1     | 1       | 2      | 11                       | 12      | 23     |
| Unknown .....             | 31    | 19      | 50     | 26    | 7       | 33     | 526                      | 287     | 813    |
| Not insane .....          | ....  | 2       | 2      | ....  | 2       | 2      | 11                       | 10      | 21     |
| Total .....               | 222   | 149     | 371    | 245   | 156     | 401    | 4,621                    | 3,528   | 8,149  |

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TABLE No. 8.

*Ratio of deaths for twenty-seven years.*

| YEAR.     | WHOLE NO. TREATED. |          |        | NUMBER DIED. |          |        | PER CENT. DIED. |          |        |
|-----------|--------------------|----------|--------|--------------|----------|--------|-----------------|----------|--------|
|           | Male.              | Fe-male. | Total. | Male.        | Fe-male. | Total. | Male.           | Fe-male. | Total. |
| 1872..... | 265                | 256      | 521    | 11           | 14       | 25     | 4.15            | 5.45     | 4.80   |
| 1873..... | 297                | 288      | 585    | 9            | 13       | 22     | 3.03            | 4.51     | 3.77   |
| 1874..... | 222                | 235      | 457    | 12           | 12       | 24     | 5.40            | 5.11     | 5.26   |
| 1875..... | 260                | 247      | 507    | 9            | 11       | 20     | 3.08            | 4.45     | 3.77   |
| 1876..... | 289                | 268      | 557    | 10           | 10       | 20     | 3.46            | 3.73     | 3.55   |
| 1877..... | 250                | 248      | 498    | 17           | 11       | 28     | 6.80            | 4.44     | 5.12   |
| 1878..... | 278                | 252      | 530    | 18           | 12       | 30     | 6.00            | 4.76     | 5.38   |
| 1879..... | 305                | 302      | 607    | 9            | 7        | 16     | 2.95            | 2.32     | 2.64   |
| 1880..... | 377                | 346      | 723    | 19           | 16       | 35     | 5.04            | 4.62     | 4.83   |
| 1881..... | 402                | 368      | 770    | 19           | 14       | 33     | 4.72            | 3.80     | 4.26   |
| 1882..... | 339                | 317      | 656    | 12           | 16       | 28     | 3.57            | 5.05     | 4.31   |
| 1883..... | 369                | 308      | 677    | 18           | 8        | 26     | 4.88            | 2.60     | 3.74   |
| 1884..... | 383                | 325      | 708    | 18           | 12       | 30     | 4.70            | 3.70     | 4.20   |
| 1885..... | 426                | 352      | 778    | 22           | 21       | 43     | 5.16            | 5.94     | 5.52   |
| 1886..... | 410                | 346      | 756    | 21           | 16       | 37     | 5.12            | 4.62     | 4.87   |
| 1887..... | 423                | 360      | 783    | 17           | 12       | 29     | 4.02            | 3.33     | 3.67   |
| 1888..... | 450                | 342      | 792    | 18           | 19       | 37     | 4.00            | 5.55     | 4.77   |
| 1889..... | 436                | 309      | 745    | 17           | 16       | 33     | 3.89            | 5.17     | 4.43   |
| 1890..... | 418                | 305      | 723    | 18           | 8        | 26     | 4.30            | 2.62     | 3.46   |
| 1891..... | 458                | 305      | 763    | 21           | 15       | 36     | 4.58            | 4.91     | 4.71   |
| 1892..... | 483                | 346      | 829    | 24           | 14       | 38     | 4.96            | 4.11     | 4.58   |
| 1893..... | 521                | 340      | 861    | 28           | 11       | 39     | 5.37            | 3.23     | 4.52   |
| 1894..... | 511                | 355      | 866    | 30           | 21       | 51     | 5.87            | 5.91     | 5.88   |
| 1895..... | 486                | 347      | 843    | 27           | 18       | 45     | 5.44            | 5.18     | 5.33   |
| 1896..... | 488                | 358      | 846    | 26           | 15       | 41     | 5.15            | 4.11     | 4.84   |
| 1897..... | 461                | 312      | 773    | 28           | 10       | 38     | 6.07            | 3.01     | 4.90   |
| 1898..... | 469                | 310      | 779    | 30           | 19       | 49     | 6.39            | 6.01     | 6.27   |

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TABLE No. 9.

*Recovered of those admitted at several ages from beginning.*

| AGE WHEN<br>ATTACKED.   | NUMBER AD-<br>MITTED. |         |        | NUMBER RE-<br>COVERED. |         |        | PER CENT.<br>RECOVERED. |         |        |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------|--------|------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------|---------|--------|
|                         | Male.                 | Female. | Total. | Male.                  | Female. | Total. | Male.                   | Female. | Total. |
| Less than 15 years....  | 80                    | 54      | 134    | 11                     | 15      | 26     | 13.75                   | 27.77   | 19.40  |
| Between 15 and 20 yrs.. | 340                   | 252     | 592    | 132                    | 100     | 232    | 38.82                   | 39.68   | 39.18  |
| Between 20 and 30 yrs.. | 1,265                 | 1,048   | 2,313  | 399                    | 358     | 757    | 31.54                   | 34.16   | 32.68  |
| Between 30 and 40 yrs.. | 1,042                 | 928     | 1,970  | 310                    | 226     | 536    | 29.75                   | 24.35   | 27.20  |
| Between 40 and 50 yrs.. | 783                   | 569     | 1,352  | 231                    | 137     | 368    | 29.50                   | 24.14   | 27.20  |
| Between 50 and 60 yrs.. | 482                   | 342     | 824    | 142                    | 63      | 205    | 29.46                   | 18.42   | 24.97  |
| Over 60 yrs.....        | 403                   | 218     | 621    | 79                     | 39      | 118    | 19.60                   | 17.88   | 19.00  |
| Unknown.....            | 215                   | 107     | 322    | 19                     | 8       | 27     | 8.83                    | 7.47    | 8.38   |
| Not insane.....         | 11                    | 10      | 21     | .....                  | .....   | .....  | .....                   | .....   | .....  |
| Total.....              | 4,621                 | 3,528   | 8,149  | 1,323                  | 946     | 2,269  | 28.63                   | 26.81   | 27.84  |

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TABLE NO. 10.

*Recovered after various durations of disease before treatment, from the beginning.*

| DURATION OF DISEASE<br>BEFORE ADMISSION. | NUMBER<br>ADMITTED. |         |        | NUMBER<br>RECOVERED. |         |        | PER CENT.<br>RECOVERED. |         |        |
|--|---------------------|---------|--------|----------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------|---------|--------|
|  | Male.               | Female. | Total. | Male.                | Female. | Total. | Male.                   | Female. | Total. |
| Less than 3 mos. ....                    | 1,413               | 987     | 2,400  | 550                  | 391     | 941    | 38.99                   | 39.61   | 38.79  |
| Between 3 and 6 mos. .                   | 501                 | 422     | 923    | 191                  | 177     | 368    | 38.12                   | 41.94   | 39.86  |
| Between 6 and 12 mos. .                  | 517                 | 422     | 939    | 181                  | 149     | 330    | 35.00                   | 35.30   | 35.46  |
| Between 1 and 2 yrs. .                   | 450                 | 321     | 771    | 123                  | 75      | 198    | 27.23                   | 23.36   | 25.68  |
| Between 2 and 3 yrs. .                   | 311                 | 226     | 537    | 62                   | 29      | 91     | 19.93                   | 12.83   | 16.94  |
| Between 3 and 5 yrs. .                   | 357                 | 286     | 643    | 63                   | 43      | 106    | 17.92                   | 15.00   | 16.48  |
| Between 5 and 10 yrs. .                  | 308                 | 320     | 628    | 42                   | 22      | 64     | 13.63                   | 6.87    | 10.19  |
| Between 10 and 20 yrs. .                 | 169                 | 195     | 364    | 9                    | 9       | 18     | 5.32                    | 4.61    | 4.94   |
| Between 20 and 30 yrs. .                 | 47                  | 40      | 87     | .....                | 1       | 1      | .....                   | .....   | .....  |
| Over 30 yrs. ....                        | 11                  | 12      | 23     | .....                | .....   | .....  | .....                   | .....   | .....  |
| Unknown. ....                            | 526                 | 287     | 813    | 102                  | 50      | 152    | 19.39                   | 17.42   | 18.69  |
| Not insane. ....                         | 11                  | 10      | 21     | .....                | .....   | .....  | .....                   | .....   | .....  |
| Total. ....                              | 4,621               | 3,528   | 8,149  | 1,323                | 946     | 2,269  | 28.63                   | 26.84   | 27.81  |

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TABLE No. 11.

*Duration of treatment of those recovered, from the beginning.*

| DURATION OF TREATMENT.           | NUMBER RECOVERED. |         |        |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|---------|--------|
|                                  | Male.             | Female. | Total. |
| Less than 3 months .....         | 419               | 197     | 616    |
| Between 3 months and 6 months... | 392               | 305     | 697    |
| Between 6 months and 12 months.. | 320               | 272     | 592    |
| Between 1 and 2 years.....       | 150               | 122     | 272    |
| Between 2 and 3 years.....       | 23                | 32      | 55     |
| Between 3 and 5 years.....       | 15                | 15      | 30     |
| Between 5 and 10 years.....      | 4                 | 3       | 7      |
| Total .....                      | 1,323             | 946     | 2,269  |

TABLE No. 12.

*Whole duration of disease of those recovered, from beginning.*

| DURATION OF DISEASE.         | NUMBER RECOVERED. |         |        |
|------------------------------|-------------------|---------|--------|
|                              | Male.             | Female. | Total. |
| Less than 3 months.....      | 121               | 45      | 166    |
| Between 3 and 6 months.....  | 225               | 169     | 394    |
| Between 6 and 12 months..... | 373               | 295     | 668    |
| Between 1 and 2 years.....   | 263               | 212     | 475    |
| Between 2 and 3 years.....   | 97                | 64      | 161    |
| Between 3 and 5 years.....   | 76                | 58      | 134    |
| Between 5 and 10 years.....  | 58                | 41      | 99     |
| Between 10 and 20 years..... | 9                 | 7       | 16     |
| Between 20 and 30 years..... | 1                 | 3       | 4      |
| Unknown.....                 | 96                | 51      | 147    |
| Several years.....           | 4                 | 1       | 5      |
| Total.....                   | 1,323             | 946     | 2,269  |

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TABLE No. 13.

*Number of deaths for the biennial period, and from beginning, and the causes.*

| CAUSES.                                     | 1897. |         |        | 1898. |         |        | FROM THE BEGINNING. |         |        |
|---|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|--------|---------------------|---------|--------|
|   | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male.               | Female. | Total. |
| Accident .....                              |       |         |        |       |         |        | 2                   | ...     | 2      |
| Angina pectoris.....                        |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Alcoholism .....                            |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | 1       | 2      |
| Carcinoma .....                             |       |         |        |       |         |        | 3                   | 4       | 7      |
| Cerebral hemorrhage.....                    |       |         |        | 2     | ...     | 2      | 35                  | 19      | 54     |
| Cerebral exostosis.....                     |       |         |        |       |         |        | ...                 | 1       | 1      |
| Cerebro spinal meningitis .....             |       |         |        |       |         |        | ...                 | 2       | 2      |
| Chlorosis.....                              |       |         |        |       |         |        | ...                 | 5       | 5      |
| Cyanche maligna.....                        |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Cystitis .....                              |       |         |        |       |         |        | 3                   | ...     | 3      |
| Diarrhoea, chronic.....                     |       |         |        |       |         |        | 2                   | 1       | 3      |
| Diphtheria .....                            |       |         |        | 1     | ...     | 1      | ...                 | 1       | 1      |
| Dysentery.....                              |       |         |        |       |         |        | 6                   | 8       | 14     |
| Embolism.....                               |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | 2       | 3      |
| Empyema .....                               |       |         |        |       |         |        | 2                   | ...     | 2      |
| Epilepsy .....                              |       | 1       | 1      |       |         |        | 44                  | 28      | 72     |
| Erysipelas.....                             | 1     | ...     | 1      |       |         |        | 1                   | 3       | 4      |
| Erysipelas phlegmenous.....                 |       |         |        |       |         |        | 3                   | ...     | 3      |
| Exhaustion from acute mania.....            | 5     | 2       | 7      | 4     | 7       | 11     | 87                  | 56      | 143    |
| Exhaustion from puerperal mania.....        |       | 1       | 1      |       |         |        | ...                 | 4       | 4      |
| Exhaustion from chronic mania.....          |       |         |        |       |         |        | 56                  | 76      | 132    |
| Exhaustion from melancholia.....            | 8     | 2       | 10     | 7     | 1       | 8      | 36                  | 27      | 63     |
| Exhaustion, senile.....                     | 5     | 2       | 7      | 4     | ...     | 4      | 36                  | 14      | 50     |
| Exhaustion, senile complicated by burn..... |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Fracture of skull .....                     |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Gangrene of lung .....                      |       |         |        |       |         |        | ...                 | 1       | 1      |
| Gangrene, senile.....                       |       | 1       | 1      |       |         |        | ...                 | 1       | 1      |
| Gastritis .....                             |       | 1       | 1      |       |         |        | ...                 | 2       | 2      |
| Gastro enteritis.....                       |       |         |        |       |         |        | 2                   | 4       | 6      |
| General paresis.....                        | 4     | ...     | 4      | 1     | ...     | 1      | 71                  | 7       | 78     |
| Hepatitis .....                             |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | 1       | 2      |
| Hernia, strangulated.....                   |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Inanition.....                              |       |         |        | 2     | 4       | 6      | 6                   | 12      | 18     |
| Intestinal obstruction .....                |       |         |        | 1     | ...     | 1      | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Locomotor ataxia.....                       |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Lymphadenoma .....                          |       |         |        |       |         |        | ...                 | 1       | 1      |
| Marasmus.....                               |       |         |        |       | 2       | 2      | 47                  | 37      | 84     |
| Meningitis, acute.....                      |       |         |        |       |         |        | 3                   | 3       | 6      |
| Nephritis .....                             | 1     | ...     | 1      |       |         |        | 6                   | 1       | 7      |

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TABLE No. 13.—Continued.

*Number of deaths for the biennial period, and from beginning, and the causes.*

| CAUSES.                            | 1897. |         |        | 1898. |         |        | FROM THE BEGINNING. |         |        |
|------------------------------------|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|--------|---------------------|---------|--------|
|                                    | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male.               | Female. | Total. |
| Oedema, general.....               |       |         |        |       |         |        | 2                   | ...     | 2      |
| Organic disease of brain.....      |       |         |        |       |         |        | 26                  | 12      | 38     |
| Osteosarcoma of scapula.....       |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Peritonitis.....                   |       |         |        |       |         |        | 6                   | 3       | 9      |
| Pernicious anaemia.....            |       |         |        | 1     | 1       | 1      | ...                 | 1       | 1      |
| Phthisis pulmonalis.....           | 2     | ...     | 2      | 3     | ...     | 3      | 39                  | 58      | 97     |
| Pleurisy, chronic.....             |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | 1       | 2      |
| Pneumonia.....                     |       |         |        | 2     | 1       | 3      | 25                  | 14      | 38     |
| Rheumatism.....                    |       |         |        |       |         |        | ...                 | 1       | 9      |
| Septicaemia.....                   |       |         |        |       |         |        | 6                   | 2       | 1      |
| Stomach, perforating ulcer of..... |       |         |        |       |         |        | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Stomach, carcinoma of.....         |       |         |        |       |         |        | ...                 | 1       | 1      |
| Suicide.....                       | 2     | ...     | 2      | ...   | 2       | 2      | 12                  | 10      | 22     |
| Typhoid fever.....                 |       |         |        | 1     | ...     | 1      | 5                   | 7       | 12     |
| Valvular disease of heart.....     |       |         |        | 2     | ...     | 2      | 23                  | 13      | 36     |
| Uraemia.....                       |       |         |        | 1     | ...     | 1      | 1                   | ...     | 1      |
| Unknown.....                       |       |         |        |       |         |        | 2                   | ...     | 2      |
| Total.....                         | 28    | 10      | 38     | 30    | 19      | 49     | 611                 | 445     | 1056   |

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TABLE No. 14.

*Attributed cause of insanity in 5,981 cases, 1876-1898 inclusive.*

| ATTRIBUTED CAUSE OF<br>INSANITY.    | 1897. |        |       | 1898. |        |       | IN 5,981 CASES. |        |       |
|-------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-----------------|--------|-------|
|                                     | Male  | Female | Total | Male  | Female | Total | Male            | Female | Total |
| Arsenical poisoning.....            | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 1      | 1     |
| Bright's disease.....               | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | .....  | 1     |
| Cerebral anaemia.....               | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 1      | 1     |
| Cerebral congestion.....            | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | 1      | 1     | .....           | 1      | 1     |
| Cerebral hemorrhage.....            | 1     | 1      | 2     | 2     | 1      | 3     | 17              | 10     | 27    |
| Cerebral softening.....             | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | .....  | 1     |
| Change of life.....                 | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 51     | 51    |
| Child-birth.....                    | ..... | 6      | 6     | ..... | 2      | 2     | .....           | 156    | 156   |
| Chorea.....                         | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | 2      | 3     |
| Cocaine habit.....                  | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | .....  | 1     |
| Cocaine poisoning.....              | 1     | .....  | 1     | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | .....  | 1     |
| Debility.....                       | 1     | 10     | 11    | 1     | 13     | 14    | 23              | 54     | 77    |
| Diphtheria.....                     | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 1      | 1     |
| Disappointment.....                 | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 19              | 17     | 36    |
| Domestic troubles.....              | 5     | 5      | 10    | 2     | 5      | 7     | 45              | 94     | 139   |
| Epilepsy.....                       | 9     | 3      | 12    | 9     | 8      | 17    | 182             | 82     | 264   |
| Fever.....                          | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | 2      | 3     |
| Fever, typhoid.....                 | 2     | 1      | 3     | 1     | .....  | 1     | 6               | 4      | 10    |
| Fright.....                         | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | 1      | 1     | 9               | 20     | 29    |
| Grief.....                          | 3     | 4      | 7     | 2     | 6      | 8     | 31              | 65     | 96    |
| Heredity.....                       | 23    | 23     | 46    | 21    | 13     | 34    | 494             | 446    | 940   |
| Heredity with change of life.....   | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 5      | 5     |
| Heredity with child-birth.....      | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 12     | 12    |
| Heredity with domestic trouble..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 6               | 9      | 15    |
| Heredity with epilepsy.....         | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 6               | 6      | 12    |
| Heredity with grief.....            | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | 2      | 3     |
| Heredity with miscarriage.....      | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 2      | 2     |
| Heredity with injury to head.....   | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 9               | 1      | 10    |
| Heredity with intemperance.....     | 1     | .....  | 1     | 1     | .....  | 1     | 24              | 3      | 27    |
| Heredity with old age.....          | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 3               | 1      | 4     |
| Heredity with poverty.....          | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 3               | 2      | 5     |
| Heredity with typhoid.....          | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | .....  | 1     |
| Heredity with uterine disease.....  | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 2      | 2     |
| Heart, disease of.....              | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | .....  | 1     |
| Hysteria.....                       | ..... | 1      | 1     | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 1      | 1     |
| Idiocy.....                         | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | 1      | 1     | 19              | 7      | 26    |
| Infantile cerebral disease.....     | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 3               | 2      | 5     |
| Injury of head.....                 | 5     | .....  | 5     | 7     | .....  | 7     | 119             | 17     | 136   |
| Injury of spine.....                | 1     | .....  | 1     | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | .....  | 1     |
| Intemperance.....                   | 18    | .....  | 18    | 21    | .....  | 21    | 278             | 14     | 292   |
| La grippe.....                      | 4     | 1      | 5     | 1     | 3      | 4     | 44              | 22     | 66    |



*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 14. — Continued.

*Attributed cause of insanity in 5,991 cases, 1876-1898 inclusive.*

| ATTRIBUTED CAUSE OF<br>INSANITY. | 1897. |        |       | 1898. |        |       | IN 5,981 CASES. |        |       |
|----------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-----------------|--------|-------|
|                                  | Male  | Female | Total | Male  | Female | Total | Male            | Female | Total |
| Locomotor ataxia.....            |       |        |       |       |        |       | 3               | .....  | 3     |
| Love affair.....                 | 3     | 3      | 6     | 2     | 5      | 7     | 5               | 12     | 17    |
| Malaria.....                     |       |        |       |       |        |       | 1               | 1      | 2     |
| Masturbation.....                | 10    | .....  | 10    | 8     | 1      | 9     | 175             | 8      | 183   |
| Meningitis.....                  | 1     | 1      | 2     | ..... | .....  | ..... | 10              | 6      | 16    |
| Menstrual derangement.....       | ..... | 1      | 1     | ..... | 2      | 2     | .....           | 29     | 29    |
| Miscarriage.....                 | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | 2      | 2     | .....           | 2      | 2     |
| Old age.....                     | 2     | 1      | 3     | 1     | 1      | 2     | 75              | 31     | 106   |
| Opium habit.....                 | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1     | .....  | 1     | 9               | 5      | 14    |
| Over work.....                   | 4     | 4      | 8     | 2     | 4      | 6     | 37              | 56     | 93    |
| Pecuniary embarrassment..        | 6     | .....  | 6     | 3     | .....  | 3     | 77              | 10     | 87    |
| Pneumonia.....                   | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1               | 1      | 2     |
| Pregnancy.....                   | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | 1      | 1     | .....           | 9      | 9     |
| Privation.....                   | ..... | 1      | 1     | ..... | .....  | ..... | 5               | 5      | 10    |
| Prostration, nervous.....        | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | 2      | 2     | 3               | 7      | 10    |
| Protracted lactation.....        | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 1      | 1     |
| Puberty.....                     | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 1      | 1     |
| Religious excitement.....        | 3     | 7      | 10    | 5     | 7      | 12    | 64              | 70     | 134   |
| Rheumatism.....                  | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 3               | 1      | 4     |
| Seduction.....                   | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | .....           | 5      | 5     |
| Sexual excess.....               | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 5               | 3      | 8     |
| Shock, electric.....             | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 3               | .....  | 3     |
| Sunstroke.....                   | 3     | .....  | 3     | 4     | .....  | 4     | 87              | 5      | 92    |
| Syphilis.....                    | 2     | .....  | 2     | 2     | .....  | 2     | 20              | 4      | 24    |
| Trauma.....                      | ..... | .....  | ..... | 1     | 1      | 2     | 1               | 1      | 2     |
| Tuberculosis.....                | ..... | .....  | ..... | ..... | .....  | ..... | 4               | 2      | 6     |
| Uterine diseases.....            | ..... | 3      | 3     | ..... | 5      | 5     | .....           | 34     | 34    |
| Worry and anxiety.....           | 5     | 5      | 10    | 14    | 4      | 18    | 60              | 34     | 94    |
| Unknown.....                     | 109   | 67     | 176   | 134   | 65     | 199   | 1485            | 1019   | 2504  |
| Not insane.....                  | ..... | 2      | 2     | ..... | 2      | 2     | 11              | 10     | 21    |
| Total.....                       | 222   | 149    | 371   | 245   | 156    | 401   | 3494            | 2487   | 5981  |

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TABLE NO. 15.

*Form of insanity for the biennial period, and in 5,981 cases, 1876-1898, inclusive.*

| FORM OF INSANITY.            | 1897. |         |        | 1898. |         |        | IN 5,981 CASES. |         |        |
|------------------------------|-------|---------|--------|-------|---------|--------|-----------------|---------|--------|
|                              | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male. | Female. | Total. | Male.           | Female. | Total. |
| Adolescent insanity .....    |       |         |        |       |         |        | 4               | 1       | 5      |
| Dementia, acute .....        | 3     | 1       | 4      | 6     | 1       | 7      | 34              | 21      | 55     |
| Dementia, chronic .....      | 6     | 3       | 9      | 21    | 2       | 23     | 174             | 81      | 255    |
| Dementia, senile .....       | 10    | 2       | 12     | 16    | 5       | 21     | 97              | 43      | 140    |
| Dipsomania .....             | 6     |         | 6      |       |         |        | 74              | 6       | 80     |
| General paresis .....        | 5     |         | 5      | 2     |         | 2      | 29              | 3       | 32     |
| Hysteria .....               |       | 2       | 2      |       |         |        | 1               | 48      | 49     |
| Idiocy .....                 | 2     | 2       | 4      |       |         |        | 24              | 13      | 37     |
| Mania, acute .....           | 48    | 24      | 72     | 54    | 34      | 88     | 894             | 541     | 1,435  |
| Mania, sub-acute .....       | 5     | 4       | 9      | 12    | 3       | 15     | 270             | 176     | 446    |
| Mania, chronic .....         | 21    | 21      | 42     | 8     | 8       | 16     | 577             | 414     | 991    |
| Mania, epileptic .....       | 10    | 8       | 18     | 4     | 7       | 11     | 182             | 84      | 266    |
| Mania, puerperal .....       |       | 1       | 1      |       | 1       | 1      |                 | 82      | 82     |
| Mania, recurrent .....       | 3     | 7       | 10     | 26    | 12      | 38     | 79              | 77      | 156    |
| Melancholia, acute .....     | 65    | 43      | 108    | 43    | 36      | 79     | 676             | 518     | 1,194  |
| Melancholia, sub-acute ..... | 4     | 5       | 9      | 16    | 15      | 31     | 127             | 115     | 242    |
| Melancholia, chronic .....   | 31    | 23      | 54     | 11    | 18      | 29     | 194             | 224     | 418    |
| Melancholia, recurrent ..... | 1     | 1       | 2      | 26    | 11      | 37     | 43              | 27      | 70     |
| Mysophobia .....             |       |         |        |       |         |        |                 | 1       | 1      |
| Stuporous insanity .....     | 2     |         | 2      |       |         |        | 4               | 1       | 5      |
| Not insane .....             |       | 2       | 2      |       | 2       | 2      | 11              | 10      | 21     |
| Paranoia .....               |       |         |        |       | 1       | 1      |                 | 1       | 1      |
| Total .....                  | 222   | 149     | 371    | 245   | 156     | 401    | 3,494           | 2,487   | 5,981  |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 16.

*Statistics of the Hospital from July 14, 1860, to September 30, 1898,  
(Hospital year ending September 30, each year.)*

| Whole number.                              | 1860. | 1861. | 1862. | 1863. | 1864. | 1865. | 1866. | 1867. | 1868. | 1869. | 1870. | 1871. | 1872. |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Males admitted.....                        | 23    | 50    | 49    | 62    | 59    | 44    | 57    | 55    | 95    | 109   | 82    | 81    | 92    |
| Females admitted.....                      | 22    | 56    | 40    | 61    | 53    | 43    | 38    | 59    | 80    | 100   | 86    | 83    | 74    |
| Whole No. admitted.....                    | 45    | 106   | 89    | 123   | 112   | 87    | 95    | 114   | 175   | 209   | 168   | 164   | 166   |
| Whole No. treated.....                     | 45    | 147   | 192   | 254   | 300   | 257   | 272   | 294   | 355   | 455   | 522   | 524   | 521   |
| Males discharged.....                      | ...   | 23    | 38    | 44    | 64    | 34    | 50    | 61    | 51    | 58    | 92    | 83    | 83    |
| Females discharged.....                    | 4     | 21    | 28    | 22    | 66    | 46    | 42    | 53    | 58    | 33    | 80    | 86    | 65    |
| Whole No. discharged.....                  | 4     | 44    | 61    | 66    | 130   | 80    | 92    | 114   | 109   | 91    | 172   | 169   | 148   |
| Males recovered.....                       | ...   | 13    | 12    | 24    | 23    | 16    | 19    | 30    | 25    | 31    | 31    | 23    | 33    |
| Females recovered.....                     | 1     | 6     | 13    | 13    | 33    | 17    | 23    | 19    | 30    | 21    | 22    | 31    | 27    |
| Whole No. recovered.....                   | 1     | 19    | 25    | 37    | 56    | 33    | 42    | 49    | 55    | 52    | 53    | 54    | 60    |
| Males died.....                            | ...   | 3     | 14    | 8     | 9     | 7     | 6     | 7     | 7     | 8     | 18    | 14    | 11    |
| Females died.....                          | 1     | 7     | 7     | 1     | 8     | 6     | 1     | 3     | 8     | 5     | 14    | 15    | 14    |
| Whole No. died.....                        | 1     | 10    | 21    | 9     | 17    | 13    | 7     | 10    | 15    | 13    | 32    | 29    | 25    |
| Whole No. improved.....                    | 1     | 8     | 8     | 10    | 21    | 25    | 20    | 33    | 32    | 14    | 41    | 52    | 26    |
| Whole No. unimproved.....                  | 1     | 7     | 7     | 4     | 36    | 9     | 13    | 22    | 7     | 13    | 46    | 34    | 37    |
| Whole No. remaining at end<br>of year..... | 41    | 103   | 131   | 188   | 170   | 177   | 180   | 185   | 246   | 364   | 360   | 355   | 373   |
| Not insane.....                            | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   |
| Daily av. each year....                    | ...   | 90    | 117   | 162   | 187   | 179   | 181   | 185   | 203   | 310   | 302   | 359   | 365   |

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TABLE No. 16.—Continued.

*Statistics of the Hospital from 1860 to 1898 (Hospital year ending  
September 30, each year).*

| Whole number.                              | 1873. | 1874. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1883. | 1884. | 1885. |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Males admitted.....                        | 115   | 73    | 82    | 99    | 61    | 90    | 103   | 125   | 109   | 96    | 130   | 139   | 137   |
| Females admitted .....                     | 97    | 70    | 78    | 82    | 83    | 58    | 111   | 90    | 75    | 73    | 84    | 100   | 104   |
| Whole No. admitted.....                    | 212   | 143   | 160   | 181   | 144   | 148   | 214   | 215   | 184   | 169   | 214   | 239   | 241   |
| Whole No. treated.....                     | 585   | 457   | 507   | 557   | 498   | 520   | 607   | 723   | 770   | 656   | 677   | 708   | 778   |
| Males discharged.....                      | 148   | 44    | 70    | 98    | 62    | 76    | 54    | 84    | 159   | 100   | 125   | 94    | 158   |
| Females discharged .....                   | 123   | 66    | 62    | 101   | 54    | 61    | 46    | 53    | 124   | 93    | 83    | 77    | 111   |
| Whole No. discharged ....                  | 271   | 110   | 132   | 199   | 116   | 137   | 100   | 137   | 283   | 193   | 208   | 171   | 269   |
| Males recovered .....                      | 21    | 11    | 16    | 19    | 21    | 14    | 21    | 23    | 28    | 33    | 48    | 31    | 45    |
| Females recovered .....                    | 18    | 20    | 16    | 15    | 24    | 21    | 16    | 19    | 32    | 16    | 23    | 27    | 31    |
| Whole No. recovered .....                  | 39    | 31    | 32    | 34    | 45    | 35    | 37    | 42    | 60    | 49    | 71    | 58    | 76    |
| Males died .....                           | 9     | 12    | 11    | 10    | 17    | 18    | 9     | 19    | 19    | 12    | 18    | 18    | 22    |
| Females died.....                          | 13    | 12    | 9     | 10    | 11    | 12    | 7     | 16    | 14    | 16    | 8     | 12    | 21    |
| Whole No. died .....                       | 22    | 24    | 20    | 20    | 28    | 30    | 16    | 35    | 33    | 28    | 26    | 30    | 43    |
| Whole No. improved.....                    | 76    | 32    | 53    | 40    | 21    | 36    | 36    | 47    | 65    | 59    | 47    | 54    | 68    |
| Whole No. unimproved ...                   | 134   | 28    | 27    | 105   | 21    | 36    | 11    | 13    | 125   | 56    | 63    | 39    | 82    |
| Whole No. remaining at<br>end of year..... | 314   | 347   | 375   | 357   | 382   | 393   | 507   | 586   | 487   | 463   | 469   | 537   | 509   |
| Not insane .....                           | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | 1     | ...   | 1     | ...   | ...   | 1     | 1     | ...   | ...   |
| Daily av. each year...                     | 329   | 337   | 364   | 334   | 370   | 379   | 425   | 550   | 566   | 469   | 470   | 510   | 514   |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 16.—Continued.

*Statistics of the Hospital from 1860 to 1898 (Hospital year ending September 30, each year).*

| Whole number.                       | 1836. | 1887. | 1888. | 1889. | 1890. | 1891. | 1892. | 1893. | 1894. | 1895. | 1896. | 1897. | 1898. | Total. |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| Males admitted.....                 | 142   | 149   | 178   | 164   | 151   | 158   | 163   | 205   | 187   | 216   | 225   | 222   | 245   | 4,621  |
| Females admitted..                  | 105   | 103   | 107   | 103   | 97    | 94    | 144   | 111   | 144   | 148   | 166   | 149   | 156   | 3,528  |
| Whole No. admitted                  | 247   | 252   | 285   | 267   | 248   | 252   | 307   | 316   | 331   | 364   | 391   | 371   | 401   | 8,149  |
| Whole No. treated..                 | 756   | 783   | 792   | 745   | 723   | 763   | 829   | 861   | 866   | 843   | 840   | 773   | 779   | .....  |
| Males discharged...                 | 136   | 151   | 178   | 169   | 118   | 138   | 167   | 197   | 231   | 233   | 249   | 237   | 276   | 4,428  |
| Females discharged..                | 89    | 125   | 136   | 101   | 94    | 103   | 117   | 129   | 156   | 155   | 195   | 158   | 175   | 3,393  |
| Whole No. disch'ged                 | 225   | 276   | 314   | 270   | 212   | 241   | 284   | 326   | 387   | 388   | 444   | 395   | 451   | 7,821  |
| Males recovered....                 | 49    | 43    | 57    | 45    | 64    | 46    | 50    | 39    | 46    | 66    | 64    | 60    | 82    | 1,323  |
| Females recovered..                 | 25    | 27    | 30    | 26    | 37    | 24    | 43    | 23    | 48    | 34    | 40    | 31    | 25    | 946    |
| Whole No. recovered                 | 74    | 70    | 87    | 71    | 101   | 70    | 93    | 62    | 94    | 100   | 104   | 91    | 107   | 2,269  |
| Males died.....                     | 21    | 17    | 18    | 17    | 18    | 21    | 24    | 28    | 30    | 27    | 26    | 28    | 30    | 611    |
| Females died.....                   | 16    | 12    | 19    | 16    | 8     | 15    | 14    | 11    | 21    | 18    | 15    | 10    | 19    | 445    |
| Whole No. died....                  | 37    | 29    | 37    | 33    | 26    | 36    | 38    | 39    | 51    | 45    | 41    | 38    | 49    | 1,056  |
| Whole No. improved                  | 44    | 62    | 62    | 81    | 36    | 63    | 81    | 107   | 120   | 162   | 164   | 127   | 89    | 2,141  |
| Whole No. unimproved.....           | 70    | 110   | 128   | 85    | 49    | 72    | 72    | 118   | 118   | 79    | 128   | 137   | 204   | 2,334  |
| Whole No. remaining at end of year. | 531   | 601   | 478   | 175   | 511   | 522   | 545   | 535   | 479   | 455   | 402   | 378   | 328   | .....  |
| Not insane.....                     | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | ...   | 4     | 2     | 7     | 2     | 2     | 17     |
| Daily average each year...          | 523   | 516   | 479   | 433   | 501   | 518   | 530   | 527   | 518   | 450   | 397   | 404   | 403   | .....  |

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TABLE No. 17.—1897-1898.

| ADMITTED DURING<br>1897.       | CONDITION AT LAST DISCHARGE. |         |        |            |         |        |           |         |        |                  |         |        | Unknown (not in<br>this hospital). | Per cent. in admis-<br>sions for<br>this<br>year. |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|---------|--------|------------|---------|--------|-----------|---------|--------|------------------|---------|--------|------------------------------------|---|
| Number of Previous<br>Attacks. | Male.                        | Female. | Total. | Recovered. |         |        | Improved. |         |        | Unim-<br>proved. |         |        |                                    |   |
|                                | Male.                        | Female. | Total. | Male.      | Female. | Total. | Male.     | Female. | Total. | Male.            | Female. | Total. |                                    |   |
| One previous attack            | 32                           | 17      | 49     | 8          | 3       | 11     | 15        | 8       | 23     | 2                | 2       | 4      | 11                                 | 13.23   |
| Two previous attacks           | 8                            | 3       | 11     | 2          | 2       | 4      | 4         | 2       | 6      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 2.96                               | 2.96  |
| Three previous attacks         | 4                            | 4       | 9      | 3          | 3       | 6      | 1         | 1       | 2      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 2.15                               | 2.15  |
| Four previous attacks          | 1                            | 1       | 2      | 1          | 1       | 2      | 1         | 1       | 2      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 1                                  | 1   |
| Five previous attacks          | 1                            | 1       | 2      | 1          | 1       | 2      | 1         | 1       | 2      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 1                                  | 1   |
| Many previous attacks          | 1                            | 3       | 4      | 2          | 2       | 4      | 1         | 1       | 2      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 1                                  | 1   |
| Totals                         | 46                           | 28      | 74     | 14         | 10      | 24     | 21        | 11      | 32     | 2                | 3       | 5      | 13                                 | 13.23   |
| 1898.                          |                              |         |        |            |         |        |           |         |        |                  |         |        |                                    |   |
| One previous attack            | 39                           | 17      | 56     | 8          | 8       | 16     | 17        | 7       | 24     | 4                | 2       | 6      | 10                                 | 13.96   |
| Two previous attacks           | 14                           | 10      | 24     | 2          | 4       | 7      | 11        | 3       | 14     | 1                | 1       | 1      | 3                                  | 5.98  |
| Three previous attacks         | 3                            | 7       | 10     | 2          | 2       | 4      | 3         | 4       | 7      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 2.49                               | 2.49  |
| Four previous attacks          | 2                            | 1       | 3      | 2          | 2       | 4      | 2         | 2       | 4      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 1                                  | 0.07  |
| Five previous attacks          | 1                            | 1       | 2      | 1          | 1       | 2      | 1         | 1       | 2      | 1                | 1       | 1      | 1                                  | 1   |
| Totals                         | 58                           | 36      | 94     | 11         | 14      | 25     | 43        | 14      | 47     | 4                | 3       | 7      | 10                                 | 13.96   |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 18.—1897-1898.

| DISCHARGED DURING<br>1897.       | CONDITION AT LAST DISCHARGE. |         |        |           |         |        |                  |         |        |                                       |         |        |       |         |        |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------|--------|-----------|---------|--------|------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------------------|---------|--------|-------|---------|--------|
|                                  | Recovered.                   |         |        | Improved. |         |        | Unim-<br>proved. |         |        | Unknown<br>(not in this<br>hospital.) |         |        |       |         |        |
|                                  |                              |         |        |           |         |        |                  |         |        |                                       |         |        |       |         |        |
| Number of previous<br>attacks.   | Male.                        | Female. | Total. | Male.     | Female. | Total. | Male.            | Female. | Total. | Male.                                 | Female. | Total. | Male. | Female. | Total. |
| One previous attack..            | 44                           | 26      | 70     | 7         | 7       | 14     | 22               | 9       | 31     | 4                                     | 3       | 7      | 10    | 8       | 18     |
| Two previous attacks.            | 10                           | 6       | 16     | 2         | 5       | 7      | 6                | ....    | 6      | ....                                  | ....    | ....   | 2     | 1       | 3      |
| Three previous at-<br>tacks..... | 5                            | 4       | 9      | 3         | 2       | 5      | 1                | 2       | 3      | ....                                  | ....    | ....   | 1     | ....    | 1      |
| Four previous attacks            | 1                            | 2       | 3      | ....      | 2       | 2      | 1                | ....    | 1      | ....                                  | ....    | ....   | ....  | ....    | ....   |
| Many previous at-<br>tacks.....  | 5                            | 6       | 11     | 1         | 2       | 3      | 1                | 1       | 2      | ....                                  | ....    | ....   | 3     | 3       | 6      |
| Totals.....                      | 65                           | 44      | 109    | 13        | 18      | 31     | 31               | 12      | 43     | 4                                     | 3       | 7      | 16    | 12      | 28     |
| 1898.                            |                              |         |        |           |         |        |                  |         |        |                                       |         |        |       |         |        |
| One previous attack..            | 39                           | 15      | 54     | 15        | 3       | 18     | 10               | 3       | 13     | 14                                    | 9       | 23     | ....  | ....    | ....   |
| Two previous attacks.            | 12                           | 9       | 21     | 3         | ....    | 3      | 7                | 4       | 11     | 2                                     | 5       | 7      | ....  | ....    | ....   |
| Three previous at-<br>tacks..... | 3                            | 7       | 10     | 2         | 3       | 5      | 1                | 2       | 3      | ....                                  | 2       | 2      | ....  | ....    | ....   |
| Four previous attacks            | 4                            | 1       | 5      | 3         | ....    | 3      | 1                | 1       | 2      | ....                                  | ....    | ....   | ....  | ....    | ....   |
| Many previous at-<br>tacks.....  | 4                            | 2       | 6      | ....      | ....    | ....   | 1                | 1       | 2      | 3                                     | 1       | 4      | ....  | ....    | ....   |
| Totals.....                      | 62                           | 34      | 96     | 23        | 6       | 29     | 20               | 11      | 31     | 19                                    | 17      | 36     | ....  | ....    | ....   |

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TABLE No. 19.

*Occupation of patients admitted.*

| Occupation.            | 1897. | 1898. | Occupation.              | 1897. | 1898. |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| Banker .....           | 2     | ..... | Mail-carrier .....       | ..... | 1     |
| Basket-maker .....     | 2     | ..... | Mason .....              | ..... | 1     |
| Blacksmith .....       | 2     | 2     | Mechanic .....           | 1     | ..... |
| Book-binder .....      | ..... | 1     | Merchant .....           | 4     | 4     |
| Broker .....           | 1     | ..... | Miner .....              | 2     | 2     |
| Butcher .....          | ..... | 1     | Musician .....           | ..... | 1     |
| Canner .....           | 1     | ..... | None .....               | 10    | 22    |
| Carpenter .....        | 4     | 5     | Painter .....            | 1     | 3     |
| Carriage trimmer ..... | 1     | ..... | Peddler .....            | 1     | 2     |
| Cheese-maker .....     | 1     | 1     | Plumber .....            | 1     | ..... |
| Childhood .....        | 1     | ..... | Printer .....            | 4     | 1     |
| Cigar-maker .....      | ..... | 1     | Railroad Conductor ..... | ..... | 1     |
| Circus-rider .....     | 1     | ..... | Retired .....            | 1     | ..... |
| Clergyman .....        | 4     | 1     | Sailor .....             | ..... | 1     |
| Clerk .....            | 1     | 6     | Salesman .....           | ..... | 2     |
| Cook .....             | 1     | ..... | Saloon-keeper .....      | ..... | 4     |
| Cooper .....           | ..... | 1     | Soldier .....            | 1     | ..... |
| Dentist .....          | ..... | 1     | Steward .....            | 1     | ..... |
| Domestic .....         | 32    | 33    | Stone-mason .....        | 5     | ..... |
| Dress-maker .....      | 5     | 3     | Student .....            | 4     | 1     |
| Engineer .....         | ..... | 1     | Tailor .....             | 1     | 1     |
| Farmer .....           | 84    | 99    | Teacher .....            | 4     | ..... |
| Fireman .....          | ..... | 2     | Telegrapher .....        | 1     | ..... |
| Florist .....          | ..... | 2     | Tramp .....              | 2     | ..... |
| Gun-smith .....        | 1     | ..... | Undertaker .....         | 1     | ..... |
| Harness-maker .....    | 2     | 4     | Unknown .....            | 18    | 2     |
| Horse-trainer .....    | 1     | ..... | Waiter .....             | ..... | 1     |
| House-wife .....       | 90    | 103   | Watchman .....           | 1     | ..... |
| Laborer .....          | 69    | 79    | Total .....              | 371   | 401   |
| Lawyer .....           | 1     | 2     |                          |       |       |
| Machinist .....        | 1     | 1     |                          |       |       |



*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 20.

*Heredity transmission in patients.*

|  | 1897. | 1898. | Total. |
|--|-------|-------|--------|
| Father insane.....   | 8     | 11    | 19     |
| Father and mother insane....   | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Father and brother insane.....                                       | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Father and sister insane.....  | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Father and grandfather and uncle insane .....                        | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Father and uncle insane.....   | 3     | 2     | 5      |
| Mother insane .....  | 13    | 5     | 18     |
| Mother, brother and sister insane .....                              | ..... | 1     | 1      |
| Mother and sister insane .....                                       | 2     | ..... | 2      |
| Mother and grandfather insane .....                                  | ..... | 1     | 1      |
| Mother and grandmother insane .....                                  | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Mother and uncle insane .....  | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Mother and cousin insane .....                                       | ..... | 2     | 2      |
| Brother insane.....  | 7     | 11    | 18     |
| Brother and sister insane.....                                       | 3     | 1     | 4      |
| Brother and grandmother insane .....                                 | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Brother and uncle insane.....  | 1     | 2     | 3      |
| Brother and aunt insane .....  | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Sister insane.....   | 9     | 14    | 23     |
| Sister and uncle insane.....   | 2     | ..... | 2      |
| Sister and cousin insane.....  | ..... | 1     | 1      |
| Sister and nephew insane.....  | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Grandfather insane .....   | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Grandfather and uncle insane .....                                   | ..... | 1     | 1      |
| Grandfather, aunt and nephew insane .....                            | ..... | 1     | 1      |
| Grandfather, two great-uncles and two second cousins<br>insane ..... | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Grandmother insane .....   | 3     | 3     | 6      |
| Grandmother, two aunts and cousin insane .....                       | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Grandmother and cousin insane .....                                  | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Great grandfather insane.....  | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Great-grandfather and uncle insane.....                              | ..... | 1     | 1      |
| Uncle insane.....  | 6     | 7     | 13     |
| Uncle and aunt insane .....  | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Uncle and cousin insane .....  | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Aunt insane .....  | 6     | 2     | 8      |
| Aunt and cousin insane .....   | 2     | 3     | 5      |
| Cousin insane .....  | 6     | 8     | 14     |
| Cousin and second cousin insane .....                                | 1     | 1     | 2      |
| Second cousin insane.....  | 2     | ..... | 2      |
| Grand-aunt insane.....   | 1     | ..... | 1      |
| Total .....  | 91    | 87    | 178    |

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*Statistical Tables.*


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## MATRON'S REPORT.

*Articles made in the Wisconsin State Hospital for the Insane, Mendota, from Sept. 30, 1896, to Oct. 1, 1898.*

|                                 |       |                               |        |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|--------|
| Aprons.....                     | 930   | Kitchen jackets.....          | 49     |
| Baby clothes.....               | 13    | Laundry bags.....             | 39     |
| Bandages, yards.....            | 2,827 | Masquerade articles.....      | 36     |
| Base ball articles.....         | 13    | Mattress ticks.....           | 25     |
| Bedspreads.....                 | 75    | Napkins.....                  | 980    |
| Blankets.....                   | 102   | Night dresses.....            | 432    |
| Bread cloths.....               | 38    | Night shirts.....             | 100    |
| Camisoles.....                  | 31    | Pad covers.....               | 88     |
| Canvass muffs and mitts....     | 46    | Pillows, casket.....          | 109    |
| Capes.....                      | 2     | Pillow slips.....             | 1,304  |
| Caps.....                       | 34    | Rugs.....                     | 9      |
| Carpets.....                    | 11    | Sheets.....                   | 2,705  |
| Chemises.....                   | 22    | Shelf spreads.....            | 121    |
| Coffee bags.....                | 31    | Shrouds.....                  | 14     |
| Curtains.....                   | 117   | Skirts.....                   | 526    |
| Cushions.....                   | 2     | Strong dresses.....           | 46     |
| Drawers, pairs.....             | 174   | Strong suits.....             | 53     |
| Drawers knitted, stitched, prs. | 434   | Sun bonnets.....              | 21     |
| Dresses.....                    | 706   | Table cloths.....             | 350    |
| Dresses repaired.....           | 223   | Tapes.....                    | 12,717 |
| Dress skirts.....               | 22    | Towels of all kinds.....      | 4,970  |
| Dress waists.....               | 23    | Trousers, shorten'd or leng'd | 124    |
| Hats, trimmed.....              | 41    | Under waists.....             | 10     |
| Iron holders.....               | 87    | Window shades.....            | 47     |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1897.

|          |  |              |              |
|----------|--|--------------|--------------|
| 1896.    |  |              |              |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....                                      |              | \$43,025 79  |
| 1897.    |  |              |              |
| Jan. 1   | From counties .....                                |              | 34,501 31    |
| May 1    | Appropriation, Chap. 308, 1897 .....               |              | 140,000 00   |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for board and clothing patients .....      |              | 2,372 95     |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries .....                         |              | 1,134 23     |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred for expenses board of control.....     | \$2,818 65   |              |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account of current expenses this year..... | 113,003 73   |              |
| Sept. 30 | Balance appropriation in state treasury.....       | \$105,088 57 |              |
|          | Balance in hands of steward 123 33                 | 105,211 90   |              |
|          |  | \$221,034 28 | \$221,034 28 |

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1898.

|          |  |              |              |
|----------|--|--------------|--------------|
| 1897.    |  |              |              |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....                                      |              | \$105,211 90 |
| Jan. 1   | From counties .....                                |              | 36,107 94    |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for board and clothing patients .....      |              | 2,782 28     |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries .....                         |              | 2,982 06     |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred for expenses board of control.....     | \$2,800 00   |              |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account of current expenses this year..... | 111,433 83   |              |
|          | Balance appropriation in state treasury.....       | \$32,778 97  |              |
|          | Balance in hands of steward 71 38                  | 32,850 35    |              |
|          |  | \$147,084 18 | \$147,084 18 |

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STATEMENT OF CUR-  
At the Wisconsin State Hospital for the Insane

| Classified Items.                                 | Inventory<br>Sept. 30th,<br>1896. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transf'd<br>to this<br>acc't<br>during the<br>year | Total.       |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Amusements.....                                   | \$1,978 18                        | \$599 39                         |  | \$2,577 57   |
| Barn, farm and garden                             | 10,164 88                         | 4,694 20                         |  | 14,859 08    |
| Clothing.....                                     | 1,800 59                          | 6,708 09                         |  | 8,508 68     |
| Discharged patients.....                          |                                   | 1,050 98                         |  | 1,050 98     |
| Discounts.....                                    |                                   | 50                               |  | 50           |
| Drug and medical dept..                           | 828 19                            | 1,700 33                         |  | 2,528 52     |
| Engines and Boilers....                           | 19,584 46                         | 899 79                           |  | 20,484 25    |
| Elopers.....                                      |                                   | 129 20                           |  | 129 20       |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....      |                                   | 34 94                            |  | 34 94        |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 598 84                            | 6 70                             |  | 605 54       |
| Fuel.....   | 1,161 50                          | 9,282 41                         | \$777 50   | 11,221 41    |
| Furniture.....                                    | 17,150 67                         | 232 44                           |  | 17,383 11    |
| Gas and other lights....                          | 2,139 05                          | 970 04                           |  | 3,109 09     |
| Hides and pelts.....                              |                                   |                                  | 309 78   | 309 78       |
| House furnishing.....                             | 29,604 21                         | 5,162 36                         |  | 34,766 57    |
| Laundry.....                                      | 3,636 37                          | 369 55                           | 168 99   | 4,174 91     |
| Library.....                                      | 2,467 60                          | 210 07                           |  | 2,677 67     |
| Lumber.....                                       | 377 69                            |                                  |  | 377 69       |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 4,289 72                          | 119 14                           |  | 4,408 86     |
| Miscellaneous.....                                | 852 05                            | 405 34                           |  | 1,257 39     |
| Officers' expenses.....                           |                                   | 164 09                           |  | 164 09       |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 569 65                            | 853 97                           |  | 1,423 62     |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc.....     | 559,498 37                        |                                  |  | 559,498 37   |
| Repairs and renewals....                          | 2,866 26                          | 12,218 38                        |  | 15,084 64    |
| Restraints.....                                   | 142 75                            | 46 25                            |  | 189 00       |
| Scraps.....                                       |                                   |                                  | 43 47  | 43 47        |
| Special attendance.....                           |                                   | 49 00                            |  | 49 00        |
| Subsistence.....                                  | 2,677 40                          | 26,367 64                        | 5,299 60   | 34,344 64    |
| Surgical instrum'ts and<br>appliances.....        | 965 85                            | 55 01                            |  | 1,020 86     |
| Tobacco.....                                      | 11 35                             | 389 33                           |  | 400 68       |
| Wages and salaries.....                           |                                   | 40,492 13                        |  | 40,492 13    |
| Board and clothing<br>patients.....               |                                   | 18 57                            |  | 18 57        |
| Totals.....                                       | \$663,365 63                      | \$113,229 84                     | \$6,599 34   | \$783,194 81 |
| Discounts.....                                    |                                   | 235 11                           |  | 672,682 52   |
| Net expenses.....                                 |                                   | \$112,994 73                     |  | \$110,512 29 |

Add amount assigned to this institution set apart by the secretary of State

*Statistical Tables.***RENT EXPENSES***for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>Sept. 30th,<br>1897.                  | Cash rec'd<br>on this acc't.<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>acc't during<br>the year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.    |
|--|---|---|--------------|------------|--------------|
| \$2,230 79   | \$1 00  |   | \$2,231 79   |            | \$345 78     |
| 11,953 48  |   | 6,037 35  | 17,990 83    | 3,131 75   |              |
| 2,078 56   | 107 90  |   | 2,186 46     |            | 6,322 22     |
|  | 4 50  |   | 4 50         |            | 1,046 48     |
|  |   | 235 11  | 235 11       | 234 61     |              |
| 821 64   | 24 60   |   | 846 24       |            | 1,682 28     |
| 19,620 54  |   |   | 19,620 54    |            | 863 71       |
|  | 10 00   |   | 10 00        |            | 119 20       |
|  |   |   |              |            | 34 94        |
| 591 57   |   |   | 591 57       |            | 13 97        |
| 450 00   |   |   | 450 00       |            | 10,771 41    |
| 17,134 00  |   |   | 17,134 00    |            | 249 11       |
| 712 46   | 37 70   | 52 50   | 802 66       |            | 2,306 43     |
|  | 309 78  |   | 309 78       |            |              |
| 30,027 28  | 5 00  |   | 30,032 28    |            | 4,734 29     |
| 3,630 28   |   |   | 3,630 28     |            | 544 63       |
| 2,561 44   |   |   | 2,561 44     |            | 116 23       |
| 327 97   |   |   | 327 97       |            | 49 72        |
| 4,321 37   |   |   | 4,321 37     |            | 87 49        |
| 807 45   | 112 79  |   | 920 24       |            | 337 15       |
|  |   |   |              |            | 164 09       |
| 550 34   |   |   | 550 34       |            | 873 28       |
| 559,498 37   |   |   | 559,498 37   |            |              |
| 3,199 15   | 50  | 43 47   | 3,243 12     |            | 11,841 52    |
| 182 50   |   |   | 182 50       |            | 6 50         |
|  | 43 47   |   | 43 47        |            |              |
|  | 49 00   |   | 49 00        |            |              |
| 3,036 26   | 249 33  | 466 02  | 3,751 61     |            | 30,593 03    |
| 957 07   |   |   | 957 07       |            | 63 79        |
| 2 75   |   |   | 2 75         |            | 397 93       |
|  | 178 66  |   | 178 66       |            | 40,313 47    |
|  |   | 18 57   | 18 57        |            |              |
| \$664,095 27                                       | \$1,134 23  | \$6,853 02  | \$672,682 52 | \$3,366 36 | \$113,878 65 |
|  |   |   |              |            | 3,366 36     |
|  |   |   |              |            | \$110,512 29 |
| for salaries and expenses of Board of Control..... |   |   |              |            | 2,818 65     |
|  |   |   |              |            | \$113,330 94 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Wisconsin State Hospital for the Insane*

| Classified items.                                 | Inventory<br>Sept. 30,<br>1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Trans-<br>ferred to<br>this acc't<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Amusements.....                                   | \$2,230 79                      | \$510 05                         |  | \$2,740 84   |
| Barn, farm and garden.                            | 11,953 48                       | 2,756 07                         |  | 14,709 55    |
| Clothing.....                                     | 2,078 56                        | 5,811 80                         |  | 7,890 46     |
| Discharged patients.....                          |                                 | 1,532 35                         |  | 1,532 35     |
| Discounts.....                                    |                                 |                                  |  |              |
| Drug and medical dept.                            | 821 64                          | 1,197 65                         |  | 2,019 29     |
| Engines and boilers....                           | 19,620 54                       | 411 10                           |  | 20,031 64    |
| Elopers.....                                      |                                 | 208 26                           |  | 208 26       |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....      |                                 | 17 65                            |  | 17 65        |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 591 57                          |                                  |  | 591 57       |
| Fuel.....   | 450 00                          | 10,931 87                        | \$414 50   | 11,796 37    |
| Furniture.....                                    | 17,134 00                       | 529 72                           |  | 17,663 72    |
| Gas and other lights...                           | 712 46                          | 2,616 25                         |  | 3,328 71     |
| Hides and pelts.....                              |                                 |                                  | 134 63   | 134 63       |
| House furnishing.....                             | 30,027 28                       | 4,708 64                         |  | 34,735 92    |
| Laundry.....                                      | 3,630 28                        | 426 08                           | 114 40   | 4,170 76     |
| Library.....                                      | 2,561 44                        | 179 62                           |  | 2,741 06     |
| Lumber.....                                       | 327 97                          |                                  |  | 327 97       |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 4,321 37                        | 44 83                            |  | 4,366 20     |
| Miscellaneous.....                                | 807 45                          | 812 30                           |  | 1,619 75     |
| Officers' expenses.....                           |                                 | 331 04                           |  | 331 04       |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 550 34                          | 722 20                           |  | 1,272 54     |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc.....     | 559,498 37                      |                                  | 16,104 87  | 575,603 24   |
| Repairs and renewals...                           | 3,199 15                        | 6,065 16                         |  | 9,264 31     |
| Restraints.....                                   | 182 50                          | 77 20                            |  | 259 70       |
| Scraps.....                                       |                                 |                                  | 32 88  | 32 88        |
| Special attendance.....                           |                                 |                                  | 785 95   | 785 95       |
| Subsistence.....                                  | 3,036 26                        | 26,164 60                        | 6,379 22   | 35,580 08    |
| Surgical instruments<br>and appliances.....       | 957 07                          | 25 75                            |  | 982 82       |
| Tobacco.....                                      | 2 75                            | 475 68                           |  | 478 43       |
| Wages and salaries.....                           |                                 | 40,663 63                        |  | 40,663 63    |
| Fire and boiler insurance                         |                                 | 2,362 50                         |  | 2,362 50     |
| Totals.....                                       | \$664,695 27                    | \$109,582 10                     | \$23,966 45  | \$798,243 82 |
| Discounts.....                                    |                                 | 182 50                           |  | 690,546 75   |
| Net expenses.....                                 |                                 | \$109,399 60                     |  | \$107,69707  |

Add amount assigned to this Institution set apart by the Secretary of

*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES**\* *for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>Sept. 30th,<br>1898.                   | Cash rec'd<br>on this acc't<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>acc't during<br>the year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended     |
|---|--|---|--------------|------------|--------------|
| \$2,247 14  | \$1 60   | .....   | \$2,248 74   | .....      | \$492 10     |
| 11,561 69   | 182 48   | \$6,661 22  | 18,405 39    | \$3,695 84 | .....        |
| 4,067 87  | 170 33   | .....   | 4,238 20     | .....      | 3,652 26     |
| .....   | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | 1,532 35     |
| .....   | .....  | 175 54  | 175 54       | 175 54     | .....        |
| 592 34  | 1 50   | .....   | 593 84       | .....      | 1,425 45     |
| 15,809 29   | 59 65  | .....   | 15,868 94    | .....      | 4,162 70     |
| .....   | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | 208 26       |
| .....   | 74   | .....   | 74           | .....      | 16 91        |
| 591 57  | .....  | .....   | 591 57       | .....      | .....        |
| 675 61  | 248 98   | .....   | 924 59       | .....      | 10,871 78    |
| 16,367 67   | .....  | .....   | 16,367 67    | .....      | 1,296 05     |
| 1,300 90  | 25 00  | 132 50  | 1,458 40     | .....      | 1,870 31     |
| .....   | 134 63   | .....   | 134 63       | .....      | .....        |
| 31,996 28   | 2 50   | .....   | 31,998 78    | .....      | 2,737 14     |
| 3,618 02  | 3 30   | .....   | 3,621 32     | .....      | 549 44       |
| 2,617 94  | .....  | .....   | 2,617 94     | .....      | 123 12       |
| 327 97  | .....  | .....   | 327 97       | .....      | .....        |
| 4,366 20  | .....  | .....   | 4,366 20     | .....      | .....        |
| 542 33  | 309 98   | 4 21  | 856 52       | .....      | 763 23       |
| .....   | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | 331 04       |
| 598 55  | .....  | .....   | 598 55       | .....      | 673 99       |
| 575,603 24  | .....  | .....   | 575,603 24   | .....      | .....        |
| 2,583 43  | 9 00   | 32 88   | 2,625 31     | .....      | 6,639 00     |
| 192 50  | .....  | .....   | 192 50       | .....      | 67 20        |
| .....   | 32 88  | .....   | 32 88        | .....      | .....        |
| .....   | 785 95   | .....   | 785 95       | .....      | .....        |
| 2,883 57  | 798 81   | 251 78  | 3,934 16     | .....      | 31,645 92    |
| 965 00  | .....  | .....   | 965 00       | .....      | 17 82        |
| 11 50   | .....  | .....   | 11 50        | .....      | 466 93       |
| .....   | 214 73   | 785 95  | 1,000 68     | .....      | 39,662 95    |
| .....   | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | 2,362 50     |
| \$679,520 61  | \$2,982 06   | \$8,044 08  | \$690,546 75 | \$3,871 38 | \$111,568 45 |
| .....   | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | 3,871 38     |
| .....   | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | \$107,697 07 |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | 2,800 00     |
| .....   | .....  | .....   | .....        | .....      | \$110,497 07 |

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## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUNDS, 1898.

| Classified Items.                  | Balance<br>available<br>Oct. 1, 1896. | Expended<br>during<br>biennial<br>period. | Balance<br>available<br>Oct. 1, 1898. |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| New pumping station .....          | \$8,000 00                            | \$2,527 76                                | \$5,472 24                            |
| Iron fire escapes .....            | 2,425 00                              | 2,076 21                                  | 348 79                                |
| Amusement hall, infirmary, &c .... | 12,000 00                             | 12,000 00                                 | .....                                 |
| New boilers .....                  | 8,000 00                              | 8,000 00                                  | .....                                 |
| Total .....                        | \$30,425 00                           | \$24,593 97                               | \$5,821 03                            |



*Statistical Tables.*

## STATEMENT OF MONEY RECEIVED AT INSTITUTION.

| Classification.                     | 1897.      | 1898.      |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Amusements .....                    | \$1 00     | \$1 60     |
| Barn, farm and garden .....         |            | 182 48     |
| Boarding and clothing patients..... | 2,372 95   | 2,794 84   |
| Clothing .....                      | 107 90     | 170 33     |
| Discharged patients .....           | 4 50       |            |
| Drug and medical department.....    | 24 60      | 1 50       |
| Elopers.....                        | 10 00      |            |
| Engine and boilers.....             |            | 59 65      |
| Freight and express.....            |            | 74         |
| Fuel.....                           |            | 248 98     |
| Gas and other lights .....          | 37 70      | 25 00      |
| Hides and pelts.....                | 309 78     | 134 63     |
| House furnishing.....               | 5 00       | 2 50       |
| Laundry .....                       |            | 3 30       |
| Miscellaneous .....                 | 112 79     | 309 98     |
| Repairs and renewals.....           | 50         | 9 00       |
| Scraps .....                        | 43 47      | 32 88      |
| Special attendance.....             | 49 00      | 785 95     |
| Subsistence.....                    | 249 33     | 798 81     |
| Wages and salaries .....            | 178 66     | 214 73     |
| Totals.....                         | \$3,507 18 | \$5,776 90 |

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## MONEY RECEIVED.

*Cash taken from patients for safe keeping.*

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| On hand October 1, 1896.....                       | \$1,424 51 |
| Received during the two years.....                 | 1,639 68   |
| Total.....   | \$3,064 19 |
| Returned to patients or their representatives..... | 1,507 59   |
| Balance in hands of steward October 1, 1898.....   | \$1,556 60 |

CASH DEPOSITED TO BE EXPENDED FOR THE BENEFIT OF  
PATIENTS.

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| On hand October 1st, 1896.....         | \$610 17   |
| Received during the two years.....     | 1,167 23   |
| Total.....                             | \$1,777 40 |
| Expended for benefit of patients.....  | 1,145 40   |
| Balance on hand October 1st, 1898..... | \$632 00   |

*Statistical Tables.***FARM AND GARDEN PRODUCTS.**

| ARTICLES.          | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30, 1897 |             | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30, 1898. |             |
|--------------------|---|-------------|--|-------------|
|                    | Quantity.                               | Amount.     | Quantity.                                | Amount.     |
| Apples.....        |   |             | 146 bu.                                  | \$51 10     |
| Asparagus.....     | 1,555 lbs.                              | \$56 20     | 950 lbs.                                 | 38 00       |
| Beans.....         | 132 bu.                                 | 52 80       | 177 bu.                                  | 93 80       |
| Beets.....         | 238 bu.                                 | 95 20       | 251 bu.                                  | 100 40      |
| Beet greens.....   | 30 bu.                                  | 7 50        | 51 bu.                                   | 24 75       |
| Black raspberries. | 175 qts.                                | 10 50       | 275 qts.                                 | 19 25       |
| Beef cattle.....   |   |             | 6,750 lbs.                               | 202 50      |
| Calves.....        | 54                                      | 324 00      | 49                                       | 321 80      |
| Cabbage.....       | 2,285 head.                             | 218 55      | 5,977 head.                              | 179 31      |
| Carrots.....       | 231 bu.                                 | 69 30       | 239 bu.                                  | 71 70       |
| Currants.....      | 4 bu.                                   | 6 40        | 12 bu.                                   | 19 02       |
| Cucumbers.....     | 105 bu.                                 | 51 60       | 127 bu.                                  | 58 55       |
| Cauliflower.....   | 433 heads.                              | 43 30       | 66 head.                                 | 3 30        |
| Corn, sweet.....   | 403 bu.                                 | 189 80      | 150 bu.                                  | 93 75       |
| Corn.....          | 2,150 bu.                               | 645 00      | 2,185 bu.                                | 655 50      |
| Corn stalks.....   | 70 tons.                                | 245 00      | 75 tons                                  | 262 50      |
| Celery.....        | 25 doz.                                 | 12 50       | 550 doz.                                 | 275 00      |
| Grapes.....        | 62½ bu.                                 | 27 70       | 8 bu.                                    | 4 00        |
| Haty.....          | 112 ton.                                | 896 00      | 156 tons.                                | 1,248 00    |
| Hog (grease).....  | 850 lbs.                                | 12 75       |  |             |
| Lettuce.....       | 98½ bu.                                 | 49 25       | 40 bu.                                   | 30 00       |
| Melons.....        | 112½ doz.                               | 33 80       | 255 doz.                                 | 63 75       |
| Milk.....          | 303,952 lbs.                            | 3,039 52    | 278,442 lbs.                             | 2,784 42    |
| Onions.....        | 214 bu.                                 | 108 20      | 547 bu.                                  | 173 00      |
| Oats.....          | 2,222 bu.                               | 444 40      | 3,172 bu.                                | 634 40      |
| Peas.....          | 101 bu.                                 | 76 75       | 127 bu.                                  | 91 65       |
| Pie plant.....     | 2,550 lbs.                              | 51 00       | 1,650 lbs.                               | 16 50       |
| Plant, egg.....    |   |             | 5 doz.                                   | 3 00        |
| Potatoes.....      | 3,800 bu.                               | 1,330 00    | 2,992 bu.                                | 1,047 20    |
| Parsnip.....       | 275 bu.                                 | 82 50       | 280 bu.                                  | 84 00       |
| Pork.....          | 17,057 lbs.                             | 573 73      | 41,700 lbs.                              | 1,651 00    |
| Radish.....        | 49½ bu.                                 | 54 25       | 107 bu.                                  | 78 75       |
| Rutabagas.....     | 180 bu.                                 | 54 00       | 201 bu.                                  | 60 35       |
| Rye.....           | 258 bu.                                 | 129 00      |  |             |
| Spinach.....       | 81 bu.                                  | 40 50       | 65 bu.                                   | 48 75       |
| Squash.....        | 2,000 lbs.                              | 20 00       | 1,000 lbs.                               | 10 00       |
| Squash, summer.    | 37 bu.                                  | 18 50       | 16 bu.                                   | 9 60        |
| Strawberries.....  | 2,440 qts.                              | 195 20      | 5,125 qts.                               | 307 50      |
| Tomatoes.....      | 315 bu.                                 | 168 50      | 389 bu.                                  | 166 40      |
| Turnips.....       | 54 bu.                                  | 19 05       | 61 bu.                                   | 24 25       |
| Tallow.....        | 5,629 lbs.                              | 156 24      | 3,350 lbs.                               | 103 80      |
| Straw.....         | 60 tons.                                | 240 00      | 70 tons.                                 | 280 00      |
| Wood.....          | 35 cord.                                | 105 00      | 130 cord.                                | 390 00      |
| Wood, split.....   | 124 cord.                               | 620 00      | 112 cord.                                | 560 00      |
| Total.....         |   | \$10,573 49 |  | \$12,340 65 |



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**EIGHTH BIENNIAL REPORT**

OF THE

**Northern Hospital for the Insane**

FOR THE ~~22~~ —

**Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.**

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## OFFICERS.

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## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

*To the Honorable State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:—The eighth biennial report of the Northern Hospital for the Insane from October 1st, 1896, to October 1st, 1898, is submitted herewith.

The following table shows the movement of population during the above period:

|                               | 1896-7. |          |        | 1897-8. |          |         |
|-------------------------------|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|---------|
|                               | Male.   | Fe-male. | Total. | Male.   | Fe-male. | To tal. |
| Remaining Sept. 30th .....    | 328     | 192      | 520    | 324     | 188      | 512     |
| Admitted during year .....    | 236     | 162      | 398    | 285     | 183      | 468     |
| Returned from parole .....    | 34      | 19       | 53     | 43      | 22       | 65      |
| Whole number treated .....    | 598     | 373      | 971    | 652     | 393      | 1,045   |
| Sent home on parole .....     | 137     | 95       | 232    | 178     | 86       | 264     |
| Sent to county asylums .....  | 108     | 69       | 177    | 104     | 59       | 163     |
| Eloped .....                  | 4       | .....    | 4      | 3       | .....    | 3       |
| Died .....                    | 25      | 21       | 46     | 20      | 15       | 35      |
| Whole number discharged ..... | 274     | 185      | 459    | 305     | 160      | 465     |
| Daily average .....           | 343     | 196      | 539    | 335     | 211      | 546     |
| Remaining Sept. 30th .....    | 324     | 188      | 512    | 347     | 233      | 580     |

There was a larger number of admissions than during any similar period in the history of the hospital.

The two years have been busy ones for all connected with the institution.

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The decrease in the mortality as shown in the following table is offered as one evidence that the patients have had good care.

|                 | No. of admissions. | No. died. | Per cent. of adm. |
|-----------------|--------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| 1888-9 .....    | 333                | 59        | .152              |
| 1889-90 .....   | 370                | 70        | .189              |
| 1890-1 .....    | 333                | 69        | .180              |
| 1891-2 .....    | 315                | 59        | .187              |
| 1892-3 .....    | 370                | 68        | .183              |
| 1893-4 .....    | 395                | 68        | .172              |
| 1894-5 .....    | 420                | 63        | .150              |
| 1895-6 .....    | 439                | 46        | .104              |
| 1896-7 .....    | 398                | 46        | .115              |
| 1897-8 .....    | 468                | 35        | .074              |
| 1888-1898 ..... | 3,946              | 583       | .147              |

Of this small number of deaths I regret to have to report that two were by suicide. These two patients eluded the vigilance of their attendants for a few moments, just long enough to accomplish their purpose.

## VOLUNTARY PATIENTS.

There have been two patients admitted on their own application as provided in sec. 8, chap. 319, laws of 1897.

This law is undoubtedly a beneficent one, but it would be of much greater value if its provisions were broadened so that people who believe that insanity is impending could be admitted for treatment on their own application.

There have been several applications during the last year for admission by persons who were broken down in health who believed they were about to become insane.

Could these people be permitted to enter the hospital on the payment of about eight or ten dollars a week the state would be money ahead and a limited but most unfortunate class of citizens would be greatly benefited and occasionally an attack of insanity prevented.

The private sanitariums in the state do not take patients for



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less than twenty-five dollars a week so that persons of moderate incomes cannot avail themselves of the treatment in these excellent institutions.

#### SCHOOL.

The Hospital school has been in operation during the two years except during the hot summer months when the patients were out of doors a good share of the time.

There is no question that for several reasons it is a valuable adjunct to the medical treatment of insanity.

The report of the teacher is submitted herewith:

#### OCCUPATION.

From 100 to 150 patients have been employed daily except during the winter months.

The women work in the ironing room, sewing and mending rooms, in the kitchen, on the wards and in the ward dining rooms, and some do fancy needle work for relatives at home.

The men are employed on the farm and garden, about the barns, laundry, engine room and in fact in every department of the hospital.

Labor is everywhere being recognized as an important factor in promoting healthful mental activity.

#### THE PAROLE SYSTEM.

During the last three years all patients who have left the hospital have been transferred to county asylums or have been permitted to go at large on parole. Patients are no longer "discharged" and the word "recovered" has been practically eliminated from the hospital vocabulary although there has been a flattering per cent. of recoveries.

As this system now has legislative sanction it has become permanent and is destined to do great good. So far its results have been most satisfactory.

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The power of self control is the true standard by which the question of a patient leaving the hospital should be decided.

While the ancient axiom that there is no such being as a "harmless" lunatic may be theoretically true it is practically false.

In Scotland where about three thousand insane are boarded out in private houses there is far less crime in proportion than among the sane.

So that it is not necessary that every person should have fully "recovered" before he is permitted to return to his home.

The promptness, the cheapness, the facility with which patients can be returned without judicial action is also one of the admirable features of the method of parole.

#### AMUSEMENTS.

In all well ordered modern insane hospitals amusements are recognized as an essential feature of the treatment.

Music is an important and powerful agent in modifying mental conditions. In a very few instances the influence of music has been apparently detrimental. The patients unfavorably affected by the "concourse of sweet sounds" were of course kept away from the musical entertainments.

In addition to the subjoined list of amusements the hospital band gave many open air concerts on the summer evenings and the orchestra supplied excellent music on Sundays.

At the weekly dances patriotic songs have been sung by patients and employees.

During the winter of 1897-8 several attendants who were both singers and instrumental musicians were occupied in entertaining the patients by passing from ward to ward singing and playing.

One graphophone concert by Mr. Jay Hinman of Oshkosh.

One concert by the Oshkosh Mandolin Club.

One concert by the "Ladies' Quartette" of Oshkosh assisted by Messrs. Goodell, Jenkins and Bronson.

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One band concert by the Columbia Band of Oshkosh.

One concert by Mr. and Mrs. F. Gates, Mr. and Mrs. L. Davies, Mr. J. Jenkins and Miss Harlow.

One concert by Miss Pauline Siefert and music class of Oshkosh.

One concert by Mesdames Barker and Gates, Misses Jackson, Wilson, and Messrs. Goodell, Brand, Bowen and Weaver.

One concert by the Oshkosh Orchestra Club.

One concert by Misses Schmidt and Johnson and Messrs. Goodell and Bantin.

Twenty-seven home talent concerts.

Six ball games.

Seventy-one dances.

One dramatic entertainment by the Oshkosh High School class.

One dramatic entertainment by Misses Davis, Pierce, Miller, Sessions, and Messrs. Jenkins, Johnson and Bronson.

One performance by The Long Dramatic Co.

One performance by Brandon Bros.' Vaudeville Co.

Two performances by The Benton Comedy Co.

Six performances by employees of the hospital.

Eighteen picnics.

Five minstrel performances by employees of the hospital.

One performance by The Monarch Minstrels of Oshkosh.

Five stereopticon exhibitions by Rev. Jno. W. Greenwood of Oshkosh.

One cake walk by employees of the hospital.

One sleight of hand exhibition.

#### IMPROVEMENTS.

The establishing of the reception house just west of the hospital, is the most noteworthy innovation adopted during the two years just past. In this building a large steam sterilizer has been installed, by means of which the clothing of every patient is thoroughly sterilized before being brought into the hospital. The clothing is heated in a vacuum to 230 degrees Fahrenheit, live steam is then turned in, after which the clothing is thoroughly dried and is then entirely free from all disease producing germs. The patient is thoroughly bathed at the same time. This method of disinfection has the approval of most advanced sanitarians.

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The electric light plant for which the last legislature made a special appropriation has been successfully installed and is now working satisfactorily. There is now a light in every room in the hospital. The night attendants are no longer compelled to carry lanterns into the rooms where violent patients need attention. For this and numerous other reasons the electric lighting has proved a positive benefit.

The device of having double floors with steam pipes between in rooms where disturbed and destructive patients are kept has been a distinct life saving invention. The floors are always warm, so that it is impossible for a patient to get chilled in these rooms even if he is entirely naked.

The fitting up of the old gas house as a club house where employees and patients who have their liberty can congregate is an improvement which materially adds to the happiness of those who do the work about the boiler room and kitchen and on the farm.

Two new walks nearly two miles in length have been built of gravel and cinders where the patients have greater opportunity for exercise.

Two groves of shade trees have been planted which will some day be a comfort to those who come after us.

The purchase of one hundred engravings and photogravures to adorn the wards has added materially to their appearance and has undoubtedly contributed to the pleasure of the patients.

The new steel water tank in the center building was a necessity as the old one was entirely worn out.

The steel ceilings in four halls are permanent improvements.

The introduction of the Paul vacuum heating system is an improvement which will soon pay for itself in the saving of fuel.

The laundry and ironing room has been greatly improved by the new electric irons, the large mangle, the skirt ironer and the new washing machines as well as by numerous repairs

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Four new boilers with the Hawley down draft furnaces have been placed in the boiler room.

A large number of minor improvements and a list of repairs will be found recorded in the reports of the Engineer, the Carpenter, the Painter and the Mason which are annexed.

FINANCIAL.

There will be a deficiency in the appropriation for current expenses. This is due to the fact that the legislature did not allow anything for electric fixtures which cost about \$2,000; because the old boilers were condemned by the inspector and had to be replaced; because insurance costing \$3,000 was placed upon the plant; because the buildings which are getting old require more repairs each year; because more money has been paid for employees than in former years, and because the cost of subsistence purchased was increased on account of the death of a large number of hogs by the hog cholera; because the water tank in the center building had to be replaced by a new one.

The increase in the number of employees—a larger night force, the bath people, the barber and the massage people—constitute the most important and expensive improvement made in the administration of the hospital.

There has never been a suitable place about the hospital for surgical work. It is earnestly recommended that \$1,500 be appropriated for the purpose of building two rooms for surgical and gynecological purposes.

The necessity of a well equipped bath room goes without saying. It is recommended that \$2,500 be appropriated for this purpose.

The present law providing for the bringing of patients to the hospitals by sheriffs is one of the remnants of the ancient idea that insane persons are possessed by devils. The modern notion that an insane person is ill demands that the handling of the sick persons be taken from the sheriffs and made the business of the hospital authorities. It is the desire of all well informed

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people (who have no personal interest in the question of fees) that the law be amended so that trained nurses from the hospital be sent to bring all patients to the hospital.

The sewage which now pollutes Lake Winnebago should be poured over the farm and its fertilizing properties utilized. To do this will cost about \$3,000.

The water from the lake is frequently muddy and often contains so much organic matter that it is unfit to use for bathing and for laundry purposes. This is especially so during and after windy weather. A filter can be made for about \$900. You are respectfully solicited to request this amount.

A corps of trained nurses in this hospital would increase the number of recoveries. The state is not doing its duty — is not carrying out its tacit agreement — if it fails to furnish first-class nurses for those it undertakes to treat. By trained nurses I do not mean those who have been educated in surgical, obstetrical and gynecological work in general hospitals, but those who have been educated to care for the insane. The duties of the attendant or nurse in the hospital for the insane demand greater self-control, more tact, better temper, in fact, higher character than do those of the ordinary general hospital trained nurse. The office of the hospital attendant should be elevated into a well paid and dignified occupation. There are only two ways of getting these nurses. One is to employ those who have had the training and the other is for the hospital physicians to open a training school. As the hospital is now organized there is little opportunity for educational work. And had we ever so good a training school the superior nurses would depart for more lucrative fields if higher wages were not paid. No fact in medical practice is better established than that the ministrations of skilled nurses lessens mortality. I hope the honorable board of control will decide to pay higher wages, particularly to the women attendants, and require a higher grade of excellence in those who do the work.

The congregate dining room is too small to accommodate all

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those who take their meals there, so that some of the tables have to be reset. It is therefore recommended that \$5,500 be requested from the legislature to enlarge this room and to build a permanent stage at one end of it.

The following newspapers have sent their regular issues to the hospital which has been a source of pleasure to the patients from their several localities and for which the thanks of all concerned are hereby publicly acknowledged.

Advocate, The.  
Appleton Weekly Post.  
Amerika og Norden.  
Berlin Weekly Journal.  
Brown County Democrat.  
Brandon Times.  
Bayfield County Press.  
Chilton Times.  
De Pere News.  
Der Nord Westen.  
Excelsior.  
Elkhorn Independent.  
Folkets Avis.  
Gazette, The.  
Green Bay Review.  
Germania, The.  
Jefferson County Union.  
Kewaunee Enterprise.  
Manitowoc Citizen.  
Milwaukee Telegraph.  
Montello Express.  
Manitowoc Tribune.

Omro Herald.  
Plymouth Reporter.  
Phillips Times.  
Racine News.  
Racine Times.  
Slavie.  
Stevens Point Journal.  
Sheboygan Times.  
Skandivaven.  
Sheboygan Zeitung.  
Sheboygan County News.  
Uteley's Dollar Weekly.  
Wisconsin Telegraph.  
Weyauwega Chronicle.  
Watertown Weltburger.  
Winnebago Anzeiger.  
Waupaca Post.  
Waupun Times.  
Waupaca Republican.  
Wisconsin Free Press.  
Wisconsin Times, The.  
Waukesha Freeman.

That the functions of the hospital as a mechanism for the prolongation of life, the care of disease and the alleviation of suffering have been fairly well performed is shown by the lessened mortality and by the large number of patients who have been returned to their homes.

Peace and harmony have prevailed among the officers. They have all faithfully and intelligently labored in unison, having but one object, the promotion of the health and happiness of the patients.

For the assistance the kindness and the unfailing courtesy I have received from each of you and from the Board in its official capacity, you have my sincere and lasting gratitude.

Yours respectfully,

W. A. GORDON, M. D.,

*Superintendent.*

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TABLE NO. 1.

*Movement of population from May 11th, '73, to Oct. 1st, '93.*

|                                  | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
|----------------------------------|-------|--------------|--------|-------|--------------|--------|
| Total number admitted .....      | 4,574 | 3,419        | 7,993  | 4,574 | 3,419        | 7,993  |
| Discharged not insane .....      | 14    | 12           | 26     |       |              |        |
| Discharged recovered .....       | 835   | 621          | 1,456  |       |              |        |
| Discharged improved .....        | 927   | 826          | 1,753  |       |              |        |
| Discharged unimproved .....      | 1,257 | 869          | 2,126  |       |              |        |
| Sent home on parole .....        | 509   | 304          | 813    |       |              |        |
| Eloped .....                     | 11    |              | 11     |       |              |        |
| Died .....                       | 674   | 554          | 1,228  |       |              |        |
| Total No. discharged .....       |       |              |        | 4,227 | 3,186        | 7,413  |
| Remaining Sept. 30th, 1898 ..... |       |              |        | 347   | 233          | 580    |

TABLE NO. 2.

*Movement of population during two years ending Sept. 30th, 1898.*

|                                 | 1896-7. |              |       | 1897-8. |              |        |
|---------------------------------|---------|--------------|-------|---------|--------------|--------|
|                                 | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
| Remaining Sept. 30th .....      | 328     | 192          | 520   | 324     | 188          | 512    |
| Admitted during the year .....  | 236     | 162          | 398   | 285     | 183          | 468    |
| Returned from parole .....      | 34      | 19           | 53    | 43      | 22           | 65     |
| Whole number treated .....      | 598     | 373          | 971   | 652     | 393          | 1,045  |
| Sent home on parole .....       | 137     | 95           | 232   | 178     | 86           | 264    |
| Sent to county asylums .....    | 108     | 69           | 177   | 104     | 59           | 163    |
| Eloped .....                    | 4       |              | 4     | 3       |              | 3      |
| Died .....                      | 25      | 21           | 46    | 20      | 15           | 35     |
| Whole No. discharged .....      | 274     | 185          | 459   | 305     | 160          | 465    |
| Remaining Sept. 30th .....      | 324     | 188          | 512   | 347     | 233          | 580    |
| Daily Av. under treatment ..... | 343     | 196          | 539   | 335     | 211          | 546    |



*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 3.

*Age of those admitted during the two years.*

|                                  | 1896-7. |         |        | 1897-8. |         |        |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|---------|---------|--------|
|                                  | Male.   | Female. | Total. | Male.   | Female. | Total. |
| Between ten and fifteen years... | 3       | .....   | 3      | 2       | 1       | 3      |
| Between 15 and 20 years .....    | 11      | 5       | 16     | 6       | 6       | 12     |
| Between 20 and 25 years .....    | 29      | 16      | 45     | 36      | 11      | 47     |
| Between 25 and 30 years .....    | 31      | 26      | 57     | 29      | 26      | 55     |
| Between 30 and 35 years .....    | 26      | 26      | 52     | 37      | 31      | 68     |
| Between 35 and 40 years .....    | 35      | 22      | 57     | 52      | 24      | 76     |
| Between 40 and 50 years .....    | 49      | 41      | 90     | 50      | 30      | 80     |
| Between 50 and 60 years .....    | 26      | 21      | 47     | 32      | 25      | 57     |
| Between 60 and 70 years .....    | 21      | 14      | 35     | 19      | 18      | 37     |
| Between 70 and 80 years .....    | 12      | 4       | 16     | 12      | 9       | 21     |
| Over 80 years.....               | 2       | 2       | 4      | 3       | 3       | 6      |
| Unknown.....                     | 25      | 4       | 29     | 50      | 21      | 71     |
| Total.....                       | 270     | 181     | 451    | 328     | 205     | 533    |

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TABLE No. 4.

*Civil condition of those admitted during the two years.*

|                | 1896-7. |              |        | 1897-8. |              |        |
|----------------|---------|--------------|--------|---------|--------------|--------|
|                | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
| Married .....  | 105     | 103          | 208    | 105     | 100          | 205    |
| Single .....   | 126     | 56           | 182    | 149     | 58           | 207    |
| Divorced ..... | 3       | 3            | 6      | 6       | 5            | 11     |
| Widowed .....  | 19      | 17           | 36     | 20      | 27           | 47     |
| Unknown .....  | 17      | 2            | 19     | 48      | 15           | 63     |
| Total.....     | 270     | 181          | 451    | 328     | 205          | 533    |

TABLE No. 5.

*Education of those admitted during the two years.*

|                  | 1896-7. |              |        | 1897-8. |              |        |
|------------------|---------|--------------|--------|---------|--------------|--------|
|                  | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
| Collegiate ..... |         |              |        | 1       |              | 1      |
| Good .....       | 39      | 38           | 77     | 62      | 50           | 112    |
| Common .....     | 35      | 27           | 62     | 59      | 34           | 93     |
| Limited .....    | 61      | 35           | 96     | 60      | 28           | 88     |
| None.....        | 10      | 6            | 16     | 10      | 8            | 18     |
| Unknown.....     | 125     | 75           | 200    | 136     | 85           | 221    |
| Total.....       | 270     | 181          | 451    | 328     | 205          | 533    |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 6.

*Parentage of those admitted during the two years.*

|                | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
|----------------|-------|--------------|--------|-------|--------------|--------|
| African.....   | 1     | .....        | 1      | 2     | .....        | 2      |
| American.....  | 48    | 38           | 86     | 49    | 40           | 89     |
| Assyrian.....  | ..... | .....        | .....  | ..... | 1            | 1      |
| Austrian.....  | 1     | 1            | 2      | 4     | .....        | 4      |
| Bohemian.....  | 6     | 4            | 10     | 8     | 3            | 11     |
| Belgian.....   | ..... | .....        | .....  | 5     | .....        | 5      |
| Bulgarian..... | 4     | 2            | 6      | ..... | .....        | .....  |
| Canadian.....  | 9     | 2            | 11     | 1     | 3            | 4      |
| Dutch.....     | ..... | 2            | 2      | 7     | 6            | 13     |
| Dane.....      | 6     | 3            | 9      | 7     | 4            | 11     |
| English.....   | 8     | 5            | 13     | 11    | 6            | 17     |
| Finn.....      | 6     | .....        | 6      | 9     | .....        | 9      |
| French.....    | 3     | 1            | 4      | ..... | 2            | 2      |
| German.....    | 88    | 74           | 162    | 92    | 66           | 158    |
| Hungarian..... | 1     | .....        | 1      | 1     | .....        | 1      |
| Irish.....     | 23    | 15           | 38     | 18    | 12           | 30     |
| Italian.....   | 1     | .....        | 1      | 1     | .....        | 1      |
| Norwegian..... | 11    | 10           | 21     | 10    | 8            | 18     |
| Polish.....    | 4     | 2            | 6      | 6     | 3            | 9      |
| Swede.....     | 8     | 7            | 15     | 12    | 2            | 14     |
| Scotch.....    | 5     | 2            | 7      | 5     | 1            | 6      |
| Swiss.....     | 2     | .....        | 2      | 6     | 1            | 7      |
| Russian.....   | 1     | .....        | 1      | ..... | .....        | .....  |
| Welsh.....     | 1     | 3            | 4      | 2     | 3            | 5      |
| Unknown.....   | 33    | 10           | 43     | 73    | 44           | 117    |
| Total.....     | 270   | 181          | 451    | 328   | 205          | 533    |

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TABLE No. 7.

*Nativity of those admitted during the two years.*

|                     | 1897. |              |        | 1898. |              |        |
|---------------------|-------|--------------|--------|-------|--------------|--------|
|                     | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
| America .....       | 27    | 22           | 49     | 48    | 30           | 78     |
| Austria .....       | 3     | 4            | 7      | 4     | 2            | 6      |
| Bohemia .....       | 5     | 3            | 8      | 7     | 2            | 9      |
| Belgium .....       | 4     | 1            | 5      | 4     | .....        | 4      |
| Canada .....        | 11    | 2            | 13     | 9     | 5            | 14     |
| Denmark .....       | 6     | 4            | 10     | 7     | 5            | 12     |
| England .....       | ..... | 4            | 4      | 6     | 5            | 11     |
| Finland .....       | 6     | .....        | 6      | 4     | .....        | 4      |
| Germany .....       | 57    | 42           | 99     | 52    | 39           | 91     |
| Hungary .....       | 1     | 1            | 2      | ..... | .....        | .....  |
| Italy .....         | 1     | .....        | 1      | 2     | .....        | 2      |
| Ireland .....       | 6     | 8            | 14     | 4     | 2            | 6      |
| Mexico .....        | 1     | .....        | 1      | ..... | .....        | .....  |
| Norway .....        | 9     | 9            | 18     | 6     | 7            | 13     |
| New Brunswick ..... | 1     | .....        | 1      | 2     | .....        | 2      |
| Poland .....        | 4     | 2            | 6      | 5     | 2            | 7      |
| Sweden .....        | 7     | 7            | 14     | 9     | 2            | 11     |
| Prussia .....       | ..... | .....        | .....  | 3     | 3            | 6      |
| Scotland .....      | 3     | .....        | 3      | 1     | 1            | 2      |
| Switzerland .....   | 2     | .....        | 2      | 5     | 3            | 8      |
| Holland .....       | ..... | 1            | 1      | 4     | 6            | 10     |
| Wales .....         | 4     | 1            | 5      | 1     | 2            | 3      |
| Wisconsin .....     | 78    | 64           | 142    | 94    | 68           | 162    |
| Unknown .....       | 34    | 6            | 40     | 51    | 21           | 72     |
| Total .....         | 270   | 181          | 451    | 328   | 205          | 533    |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 8.

*Occupation of those admitted during the two years.*

| Male.               | 1896-7. | 1897-8. | Female.             | 1896-7. | 1897-8. |
|---------------------|---------|---------|---------------------|---------|---------|
| Butcher .....       | 2       | 1       | Book-keeper .....   | 1       | .....   |
| Clerk .....         | 2       | 6       | Canvasser .....     | 1       | 2       |
| Cook .....          | .....   | 3       | Housewife .....     | 107     | 119     |
| Carpenter .....     | 8       | 9       | Housework .....     | 30      | 32      |
| Clergyman .....     | 1       | 1       | Housekeeper .....   | 14      | 10      |
| Deliveryman .....   | 2       | .....   | Milliner .....      | .....   | 1       |
| Druggist .....      | 2       | 1       | Music teacher ..... | 2       | .....   |
| Barber .....        | 1       | 2       | None .....          | 4       | 23      |
| Engineer .....      | 1       | 3       | Nurse .....         | 4       | .....   |
| Farmer .....        | 91      | 98      | Prostitute .....    | 2       | .....   |
| Fisherman .....     | 1       | .....   | Seamstress .....    | 5       | 6       |
| Book-keeper .....   | 2       | 3       | Teacher .....       | 4       | 4       |
| Bell-boy .....      | 1       | .....   | Weaver .....        | .....   | 2       |
| Laborer .....       | 77      | 93      | Washer woman .....  | 1       | .....   |
| Lumberman .....     | 1       | 5       | Unknown .....       | 6       | 6       |
| Lawyer .....        | 1       | .....   | Total .....         | 181     | 205     |
| Merchant .....      | 1       | 4       |                     |         |         |
| Manufacturer .....  | 2       | 1       |                     |         |         |
| Miner .....         | 6       | .....   |                     |         |         |
| Mason .....         | 1       | 3       |                     |         |         |
| Miller .....        | 1       | 1       |                     |         |         |
| Night watch .....   | 1       | 1       |                     |         |         |
| None .....          | 9       | 1       |                     |         |         |
| Painter .....       | 5       | 2       |                     |         |         |
| Printer .....       | 1       | .....   |                     |         |         |
| Porter .....        | 1       | .....   |                     |         |         |
| Railroad man .....  | 3       | 1       |                     |         |         |
| Student .....       | 1       | 3       |                     |         |         |
| Shoemaker .....     | 4       | 5       |                     |         |         |
| Saloon-keeper ..... | 1       | 3       |                     |         |         |
| Teacher .....       | 1       | .....   |                     |         |         |
| Tailor .....        | 1       | 3       |                     |         |         |
| Showman .....       | .....   | 1       |                     |         |         |
| Mechanic .....      | 10      | 15      | Male .....          | 270     | 328     |
| Unknown .....       | 28      | 59      | Female .....        | 181     | 205     |
| Total .....         | 270     | 328     | Total .....         | 451     | 533     |

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TABLE NO. 9.

*Causes of insanity in those admitted during the two years.*

|                               | 1896-7. |          |        | 1897-8. |          |        |
|-------------------------------|---------|----------|--------|---------|----------|--------|
|                               | Male.   | Fe-male. | Total. | Male.   | Fe-male. | Total. |
| <i>Psychical Causes:</i>      |         |          |        |         |          |        |
| Trouble .....                 | 17      | 6        | 23     | 31      | 25       | 56     |
| Grief .....                   | 1       | 15       | 16     | 1       | 5        | 6      |
| Jealousy .....                | 1       | 1        | 2      | 2       | 3        | 5      |
| Love affair .....             | 1       | .....    | 1      | 4       | .....    | 4      |
| Fright .....                  | 1       | 3        | 4      | 1       | 4        | 5      |
| <i>Physical Causes:</i>       |         |          |        |         |          |        |
| Heredity .....                | 47      | 44       | 91     | 6       | 6        | 12     |
| Masturbation .....            | 12      | .....    | 12     | 11      | 1        | 12     |
| Alcoholism .....              | 23      | 2        | 25     | 23      | .....    | 23     |
| Epilepsy .....                | 10      | 6        | 16     | 6       | 6        | 12     |
| Overwork .....                | 7       | 3        | 10     | 8       | 7        | 15     |
| Injury .....                  | 13      | 1        | 14     | 13      | 2        | 15     |
| Paralysis .....               | 1       | .....    | 1      | 2       | .....    | 2      |
| Senility .....                | 5       | 1        | 6      | 4       | 3        | 7      |
| Imbecility .....              | 3       | 2        | 5      | 1       | .....    | 1      |
| Syphilis .....                | 3       | .....    | 3      | 3       | 1        | 4      |
| Insolation .....              | 3       | .....    | 3      | 3       | .....    | 3      |
| Ill health .....              | 4       | 8        | 12     | 7       | 14       | 21     |
| Religion .....                | 4       | 5        | 9      | 5       | 5        | 10     |
| La Grippe .....               | .....   | 3        | 3      | 1       | 1        | 2      |
| Uterine disease .....         | .....   | 4        | 4      | .....   | .....    | .....  |
| Opium and Morphia habit ..... | .....   | 1        | 1      | 2       | 3        | 5      |
| Effect of gas .....           | .....   | 1        | 1      | .....   | .....    | .....  |
| Puerperism .....              | .....   | 6        | 6      | .....   | 5        | 5      |
| Menopause .....               | .....   | 3        | 3      | .....   | 6        | 6      |
| Unknown .....                 | 114     | 66       | 180    | 194     | 108      | 302    |
| Total .....                   | 270     | 181      | 451    | 328     | 205      | 533    |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 10.

*Duration of insanity previous to admission..*

|                                  | 1896-7. |         |        | 1897-8. |         |        |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|---------|---------|--------|
|                                  | Male.   | Female. | Total. | Male    | Female. | Total. |
| Less than one week.....          | 11      | 8       | 19     | 12      | 7       | 19     |
| Between one and two weeks....    | 9       | 6       | 15     | 12      | 4       | 16     |
| Between two and three weeks...   | 9       | 9       | 18     | 24      | 10      | 34     |
| Between one and two months...    | 17      | 13      | 30     | 22      | 16      | 38     |
| Between two and three months.    | 11      | 18      | 29     | 8       | 10      | 18     |
| Between three and four months.   | 12      | 8       | 20     | 11      | 4       | 15     |
| Between four and five months...  | 2       | 2       | 4      | 7       | 5       | 12     |
| Between five and six months....  | 7       | 5       | 12     | 5       | 8       | 13     |
| Between six months and one year  | 24      | 13      | 37     | 17      | 8       | 25     |
| Between one and two years ....   | 26      | 16      | 42     | 22      | 14      | 36     |
| Between two and three years....  | 20      | 14      | 34     | 26      | 19      | 45     |
| Between three and four years ... | 10      | 12      | 22     | 11      | 10      | 21     |
| Between four and five years..... | 7       | 9       | 16     | 7       | 13      | 20     |
| Between five and ten years.....  | 16      | 14      | 30     | 24      | 23      | 47     |
| Between ten and twenty years...  | 16      | 5       | 21     | 13      | 15      | 28     |
| Over twenty years.....           | 3       | 2       | 5      | 6       | 5       | 11     |
| Unknown .....                    | 70      | 27      | 97     | 101     | 34      | 145    |
| Total .....                      | 270     | 181     | 451    | 328     | 205     | 533    |

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TABLE NO. 11.

*Cause of death of those who died during the two years.*

|                                 | 1896-7. |              |        | 1897-8. |              |        |
|---------------------------------|---------|--------------|--------|---------|--------------|--------|
|                                 | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total. | Male.   | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
| Exhaustion.....                 | 6       | 9            | 15     | 5       | 8            | 13     |
| Exhaustion from senile dementia | 3       | .....        | 3      | 1       | .....        | 1      |
| Paretic dementia.....           | 2       | .....        | 2      | 5       | .....        | 5      |
| Pneumonia.....                  | 6       | .....        | 6      | 1       | 3            | 4      |
| Locomotor ataxia.....           | 1       | .....        | 1      | 1       | .....        | 1      |
| Pulmonary tuberculosis.....     | 1       | 3            | 4      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Interstitial nephritis.....     | 1       | .....        | 1      | 1       | .....        | 1      |
| Suicide.....                    | 1       | .....        | 1      | .....   | 1            | 1      |
| Bright's disease.....           | 1       | .....        | 1      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Septicæmia.....                 | 1       | .....        | 1      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Valvular heart disease.....     | 1       | 2            | 3      | 1       | .....        | 1      |
| Meningitis.....                 | 1       | .....        | 1      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Cerebral paralysis.....         | .....   | 1            | 1      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Carcinoma.....                  | .....   | 1            | 1      | .....   | 1            | 1      |
| Brain tumor.....                | .....   | 1            | 1      | 1       | 2            | 3      |
| Inanition.....                  | .....   | 1            | 1      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Ulcerative endocarditis.....    | .....   | 1            | 1      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Cerebral hemorrhage.....        | .....   | 2            | 2      | .....   | .....        | .....  |
| Peritonitis.....                | .....   | .....        | .....  | 2       | .....        | 2      |
| Lateral sclerosis.....          | .....   | .....        | .....  | 1       | .....        | 1      |
| Uraemia.....                    | .....   | .....        | .....  | 1       | .....        | 1      |
| Total.....                      | 25      | 21           | 46     | 20      | 15           | 35     |



*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 12.

*Duration of insanity in those who died during the two years.*

|                                    | 1896-7. |         |        | 1897-8. |         |        |
|------------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|---------|---------|--------|
|                                    | Male.   | Female. | Total. | Male.   | Female. | Total. |
| Between one and two weeks.....     | 1       | .....   | 1      | .....   | .....   | .....  |
| Between 2 and 3 weeks.....         | 1       | 2       | 3      | .....   | 1       | 1      |
| Between 3 weeks and 1 month.....   | .....   | 3       | 3      | .....   | .....   | .....  |
| Between 1 month and 3 months.....  | 1       | 2       | 3      | 1       | .....   | 1      |
| Between 3 months and 6 months..... | .....   | 3       | 3      | 1       | 4       | 6      |
| Between 6 months and 1 year.....   | 3       | 3       | 6      | 2       | 3       | 5      |
| Between 1 year and 2 years.....    | 3       | 1       | 4      | 3       | 1       | 4      |
| Between 2 years and 3 years.....   | 2       | 2       | 4      | 2       | 1       | 3      |
| Between 3 years and 4 years.....   | 2       | 1       | 3      | 1       | 1       | 2      |
| Between 4 years and 5 years.....   | 2       | .....   | 2      | 1       | .....   | 1      |
| Between 5 years and 10 years.....  | 1       | 2       | 3      | 2       | .....   | 2      |
| Between 10 years and 15 years..... | .....   | 1       | 1      | .....   | 1       | 1      |
| Eighteen years.....                | .....   | .....   | .....  | 1       | .....   | 1      |
| Twenty-one years.....              | .....   | 1       | 1      | .....   | .....   | .....  |
| Unknown.....                       | 9       | .....   | 9      | 5       | 3       | 8      |
| Total.....                         | 25      | 21      | 46     | 20      | 15      | 35     |

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TABLE No. 13.

*No. of patients from the several counties Sept., 30th, 1898.*

|                   |    |                      |     |
|-------------------|----|----------------------|-----|
| Ashland .....     | 14 | Milwaukee .....      | 2   |
| Bayfield .....    | 12 | Oconto .....         | 12  |
| Brown .....       | 27 | Oneida .....         | 6   |
| Calumet .....     | 8  | Outagamie .....      | 31  |
| Dodge .....       | 24 | Ozaukee .....        | 8   |
| Door .....        | 12 | Portage .....        | 24  |
| Douglas .....     | 1  | Price .....          | 6   |
| Florence .....    | 1  | Racine .....         | 20  |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 39 | Shawano .....        | 4   |
| Forest .....      | 2  | Sheboygan .....      | 29  |
| Green Lake .....  | 13 | Taylor .....         | 6   |
| Jefferson .....   | 14 | Washington .....     | 11  |
| Iron .....        | 8  | Waukesha .....       | 20  |
| Kenosha .....     | 15 | Wausara .....        | 7   |
| Kewaunee .....    | 9  | Winnebago .....      | 37  |
| La Crosse .....   | 1  | Waupaca .....        | 23  |
| Langlade .....    | 10 | Wood .....           | 7   |
| Lincoln .....     | 13 | Washburn .....       | 1   |
| Manitowoc .....   | 31 | Vilas .....          | 2   |
| Marathon .....    | 14 | State at large ..... | 41  |
| Marinette .....   | 11 |                      |     |
| Marquette .....   | 4  | Total .....          | 580 |

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*Teacher's Report.*

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**TEACHER'S REPORT.**

DR. W. A. GORDON, *Supt.*

SIR: — The following is a report of the school for patients at the Northern Hospital for the Insane since it came under my supervision, October 5th, 1896.

The daily attendance since that time has averaged about fifty persons, of both sexes, ages ranging from fourteen to sixty years, and of various grades of schooling. Six hours per day, six days of the week, are devoted to the school, the time being equally divided between the men and the women.

The branches taught are the same as those of a common school, and in addition to those many games, dissected maps, etc., are used.

Effort has been made to follow the model of a common school as closely as possible. It is obvious however that discipline and government as they exist in public schools would be quite out of place in dealing with the insane. As far as practicable classes are formed but in the majority of cases individual work is a necessity.

The patients most eager to study and whose memory best retains what they learn are, with but few exceptions, foreigners who are desirous of learning the English language. They, with the few Americans who have previously received little or no education, study most diligently and make best progress. Many patients who at first seem unable to perform even the simplest exercise of any kind will, after a short time, make rapid progress, showing that lapse of memory and not ignorance was the cause of their inability.

Cutting, pasting and other Kindergarten occupations are helpful in arousing and holding the interest of patients who are unfit for study, and are often used as stepping stones to more advanced work.

Classes in physical culture have been formed with some good results. The Swedish system of gymnastics are being used in connection with calisthenics to music. While the music is attractive and the drill good the work done at the word of command is most beneficial, in that the patient is obliged to think the movement before executing it.

Drawing the work in water colors is much enjoyed, especially by the women.

Chorus singing is another feature which makes the school enjoyable. Patients who are interested in nothing else will sometimes sing. About one hour per day is spent in singing.

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Good conduct in school is almost invariably the rule. Patients who give trouble elsewhere, in most cases, become quiet and interested while there.

The men as a class are more easily interested, more eager to study and in consequence make better progress in regular school work than the women.

Yours respectfully,

EMMA GENE STURTEVANT,

Teacher.

## MATRON'S REPORT.

*Articles made in the sewing room during the two years.*

|                                  |     |                                      |       |
|----------------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Aprons, gents' .....             | 276 | Mattress ticks .....                 | 331   |
| Aprons, ladies' .....            | 349 | Night dresses .....                  | 336   |
| Aprons, oil-cloth .....          | 29  | Night robes, gents' .....            | 75    |
| Aprons, carpenter's .....        | 6   | Night caps .....                     | 51    |
| Aprons, dress .....              | 12  | Napkins .....                        | 172   |
| Blankets bound .....             | 208 | Pillow cases .....                   | 935   |
| Billiard table covers .....      | 3   | Pants, gents .....                   | 6     |
| Chemise .....                    | 188 | Rubber dresses .....                 | 4     |
| Curtain cloths .....             | 33  | Restraint mitts., pairs .....        | 15    |
| Curtains, cheese cloth .....     | 14  | Shirts .....                         | 1,268 |
| Coffee sacks .....               | 17  | Skirts .....                         | 677   |
| Clothes bags .....               | 94  | Sheets .....                         | 1,094 |
| Camisoles .....                  | 3   | Sofa pillow covers .....             | 50    |
| Cook's caps .....                | 18  | Straight dresses .....               | 38    |
| Cover for dynamo .....           | 1   | Straight suits .....                 | 12    |
| Cover for bass viol .....        | 1   | String for straight suits, yds. .... | 21    |
| Curtains hemmed, pairs .....     | 24  | Shirt waists .....                   | 12    |
| Dresses .....                    | 785 | Spring mattress cover .....          | 1     |
| Drawers, gents' .....            | 67  | Screens .....                        | 10    |
| Drawers, ladies' .....           | 206 | Stand spreads .....                  | 48    |
| Iron holders .....               | 184 | Surgical aprons .....                | 6     |
| Ice wagon cover .....            | 1   | Surgical baskets .....               | 2     |
| Infant baskets .....             | 2   | Sleeves, half .....                  | 48    |
| Infant blankets .....            | 4   | Rugs .....                           | 4     |
| Infant slips .....               | 12  | Towels, roller .....                 | 376   |
| Infant night dresses .....       | 12  | Towels, yds .....                    | 1,809 |
| Infant skirts .....              | 18  | Table cloths .....                   | 343   |
| Infant shawls .....              | 4   | Wrappers, gents' .....               | 31    |
| Dolls for entertainments .....   | 2   | Wrappers, ladies' .....              | 7     |
| Dresses for entertainments ..... | 8   | Window awnings .....                 | 3     |

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*Carpenter's Report.*


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## CARPENTER'S REPORT.

DR. W. A. GORDON, *Superintendent.*

SIR:— I herewith present a list of the principal jobs of work done during the last two years:

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Put in place 6,340 square feet of steel ceiling.    | Built 8 shower bath rooms.                                       |
| Put down 5450 square feet of hard wood flooring.    | Made 8 lockers.  |
| Made 39 doors for clothes boxes.                    | Made 4 blackboards for school room.                              |
| Repaired 1,320 chairs.                              | Repaired 84 windows.   |
| Repaired 37 tables.                                 | Made 10 new window frames.                                       |
| Made 28 tables.                                     | Made 17 heavy screens to protect windows on wards.               |
| Made 12 couches.                                    | Remodeled house for receiving ward.                              |
| Repaired 89 locks.                                  | Made 125 new lawn seats.   |
| Laid 130 squares of shingles.                       | Repaired 75 lawn seats.  |
| Trimmed 24 coffins.                                 | Made 5 heavy screens for cold storage.                           |
| Made 34 boxes for coffins.                          | Put on 38 sets castors.  |
| Built 3 bed rooms on ward 13 north.                 | Repaired 54 beds.  |
| Built 11 cabinets and cupboards.                    | Built new lumber shed 20 x 40 ft.                                |
| Laid 2,500 feet pine flooring.                      | Put new floor in carpenter shop.                                 |
| Built drug store in basement.                       | Repaired south wing and center-building gutters.                 |
| Laid new floor in cow barn.                         | Put in new wood work on railway scales.                          |
| Built new flower stands for green house.            | Built new stage in Amusement Hall.                               |
| Made 16 folding screens.                            | Put slate roof on smoke house, pump house and baker's wood shed. |
| Made 3 hay racks.                                   | Did all the carpenter work on electric light plant.              |
| Made 3 wagon boxes.                                 |  |
| Built 2 bath rooms and 2 rubbing rooms in basement. |  |

Yours respectfully,

J. F. BLOOMER,  
*Carpenter.*

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## PAINTER'S REPORT.

DR. W. A. GORDON, *Superintendent.*

SIR:—I herewith present a list of the principal jobs of work done during the last two years:

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Set 750 lights of glass.                | Painted all the barns and out-buildings.   |
| Reset all the glass in the green house. | Tarred the roofs of all the out-buildings. |
| Painted the laundry twice.              | Painted and calsomined 24 wards.           |
| Painted the kitchen twice.              | Painted the entire center building.        |
| Painted the baker shop twice.           |  |
| Painted the machine shop twice.         |  |

Yours respectfully,

J. T. HARWOOD,  
*Painter.*

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*Mason's Report.*


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## MASON'S REPORT.

DR. W. A. GORDON, *Superintendent.*

SIR:— I herewith present a list of the most important items of work done in this department during the last two years:

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Repaired tile in general kitchen.  | Whitewashed basement and parts of barn   |
| Repaired tile in basement floor.   | Built foundation for sterilizing machine.  |
| Repaired tile in drug store.   | Built foundation for four new boilers.   |
| Repaired tile flooring on wards 3 and 4, 5 and 6, 11 and 12 and 14 north, and 5 and 6, 9, and 11 and 12 south.   | Built foundation for dynamos.  |
| Repaired tile floor in center kitchen.   | Built foundation for electric pump.  |
| Replaced 32 registers on wards.  | Built foundation for two new pumps in boiler room.   |
| Repaired walls of general kitchen, center kitchen, basement, center building and wards.  | Lathed and plastered new bed rooms in rear.  |
| Repaired walls of Turkish bath room north.   | Lathed and plastered two new packing rooms.  |
| Repaired stone window casements on rear building.  | Removed lath and plaster from 1st, 2nd, and 3rd floors of center building for steel ceiling.           |
| Repaired stone steps on north side of laundry.   | Removed lath and plaster from rear hall, store room and dining room on ward 1 north for steel ceiling. |
| Calcimined center kitchen and elevator, attendants' dining room, rear bed rooms, butcher shop, baker shop, Turkish bath rooms south, employees' rear dining room, and wards of north and south side. | Removed lath and plaster from rubbing room 2 south for steel ceiling.                                  |
| Repaired oven in baker shop.   | Built new addition to pump station.  |
| Repaired manhole covers.   | Removed lath and plaster and replastered Board's room.   |
| Repaired ceilings on wards.  | Did all brick work on 4 Hawley Down Draft Furnaces.  |
| Whitewashed walls and ceiling in pump house.   | Built new chimney for barn.  |
|  | Built 118 brick piers to hold steam pipes in basement.   |

Yours Respectfully,

JULIUS PISTOHL,

*Mason.*

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## ENGINEER'S REPORT.

DR. W. A. GORDON, *Superintendent.*

SIR:—It is impossible without going too much into detail to give a full report of all the work of the engineer's department during the past two years. The following are the principal items:

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 32 water closet bowls and fixtures have been set.   | Placed hot and cold water pipes in massage rooms and made shower baths for same.            |
| The large steam main was raised at each end in order to keep all the return steam inside the building.            | Connected kettles in kitchen.   |
| Every radiator in the basement had to be repiped to accomplish this.  | Took out several hundred feet of corroded steam and water pipes in basement.                |
| Four radiators were placed in packing rooms.  | Set up two new hot water feed pumps and repaired drinking water pumps.                      |
| 5 coils were placed between double floors.  | Put sink in milk room.  |
| Steam and water pipes carried to reception house, and sterilizer connected and sewer put in.                      | Repaired tank in water tower and made new iron ladder for same.                             |
| Repaired water main leading from tower to pump room.  | Repiped boiler room.  |
| Repaired pumping plant at lake, putting in blow-off pipe and relief pipe.   | Set up and connected two new washing machines and coffee boiler for congregate dining room. |
| Did very many small jobs about gas house and repairing gas fixtures.  | Set up the broiler in the main kitchen.   |
| Made braces and drills for electric light plant.  | Placed three pressure reducing valves and eight steam traps in position.                    |
| Removed the hot water heaters from the basement to the boiler room so as to circulate hot water instead of steam. | Repiped hot water system in basement.   |
| Set up and connected engine in carpenter shop.  | Numberless valves have been repacked.   |
| Set up and connected gasoline machine.  | Many waste pipes have been repaired.  |
| Repiped laundry with steam.   | Leaks in steam and water pipes have taken up a good deal of time.                           |
|   | The heating system in green house was thoroughly overhauled and placed in good condition.   |
|   | Repaired many cooking utensils.   |

Yours respectfully,

FRANK BARLOW,

*Engineer.*



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*Superintendent's Report.*

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## MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Changes in the medical staff during the two years have been as follows:

Dr. Louis Fuldner resigned December 15th, 1896.

Dr. Frank I. Drake resigned March 15th, 1897.

Dr. Adin Sherman appointed first assistant physician March 15th, 1897.

Dr. Fred W. A. Brown appointed second assistant physician March 16th, 1897.

Dr. Wm. P. Brodrick appointed third assistant physician April 13th, 1897.

Dr. Wm. P. Brodrick appointed second assistant physician August 17th, 1897.

Dr. J. R. Barnett appointed third assistant physician November 1st, 1897.

Dr. J. R. Barnett resigned September 30th, 1898.

Dr. T. R. Jones appointed third assistant physician September 30th, 1898.

## RECOMMENDATIONS.

The tank in the water tower is made of wood. It is in a decayed and leaky condition. It is absolutely necessary that it should be replaced during the coming summer. To put in a new steel tank will cost about \$1,200. It is recommended that that this amount be asked for from the legislature.

The reception house is an old wooden dwelling house. The steam sterilizer should be placed in a brick building in which there is a good bath room, an office room, and two or three bedrooms where patients can be detained for a day or two if it is deemed advisable. To construct such a building will cost about \$2,000. I have the honor to advise that the legislature be requested to appropriate this amount for this purpose.

The best results possible in the treatment of the insane will

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never be obtained until higher wages are paid to those who take care of them. Changes in the force of attendants are too frequent. The length of service would be materially increased if higher wages were paid. The duties of the attendant are exacting, the hours long and the patients often exasperating. They are too often assailed with insulting epithets and sometimes viciously assaulted by muscular and irresponsible patients.

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1897.

|          |  |              |              |
|----------|--|--------------|--------------|
| 1896.    |  |              |              |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....                                    |              | \$44,509 00  |
| 1897.    |  |              |              |
| Jan. 1   | From counties .....                              |              | 47,725 63    |
| May 1    | Appropriation Chap. 308, Laws 1897 ..            |              | 150,000 00   |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for board and clothing patients .....    |              | 1,085 68     |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries .....                       |              | 2,572 80     |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred board control fund.....              | \$3,193 72   |              |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account current expenses this year ..... | 129,894 17   |              |
|          | Balance appropriation in state treasury.....     | \$112,675 11 |              |
|          | Balance in hands of steward .....                | 130 11       | 112,805 22   |
|          |  |              |              |
|          |  | \$245,893 11 | \$245,893 11 |

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1898.

|          |   |              |              |
|----------|---|--------------|--------------|
| 1897.    |   |              |              |
| Oct. 1   | Balance.....  |              | \$112,805 22 |
| 1898.    |   |              |              |
| Jan. 1   | From counties .....                                 |              | 45,720 20    |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for board and clothing pat'nts .....        |              | 915 85       |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries .....                          |              | 2,475 53     |
| Sept. 30 | Transfers electric lighting plant .....             |              | 233 07       |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred for expenses board of control .....     | \$3,200 00   |              |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account of current expenses this year ..... | 137,488 13   |              |
| Sept. 30 | Balance appropriation in state treasury.....        | \$21,376 75  |              |
| Sept. 30 | Balance in hands of steward .....                   | 84 99        | 21,461 74    |
|          |   |              |              |
|          |   | \$162,149 87 | \$162,149 87 |

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## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUNDS.

| Classified Items.              | Balance<br>available<br>Oct. 1,<br>1896. | Appropri-<br>ations<br>1897. | Expended<br>during<br>biennial<br>period. | Balance<br>available<br>Sept. 30,<br>1898. |
|--------------------------------|--|------------------------------|---|--|
| Roof section of north wing.... | \$566 05                                 | .....                        | \$144 55                                  | \$421 50                                   |
| Repairs to sewer.....          | 1,281 16                                 | .....                        | 140 21                                    | 1,140 95                                   |
| Electric lighting plant.....   | .....                                    | \$15,000 00                  | \$15,000 00                               | .....                                      |
| Totals .....                   | \$1,847 21                               | \$15,000 00                  | \$15,284 76                               | \$1,562 45                                 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Northern Hospital for the Insane*

| Classified Items.                                  | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1896. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer-<br>red to this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.         |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|----------------|
| Amusements .....                                   | \$2,096 77                          | \$1,092 01                       |  | \$3,188 78     |
| Barn, farm and garden..                            | 18,993 58                           | 3,814 69                         | \$171 92   | 22,980 19      |
| Clothing .....                                     | 2,039 91                            | 3,609 80                         |  | 7,649 71       |
| Discharged patients.....                           |                                     | 1,066 22                         |  | 1,066 22       |
| Discount.....                                      |                                     |                                  |  |                |
| Drugs and medical de-<br>partment.....             | 907 42                              | 1,399 41                         |  | 2,306 83       |
| Engines and boilers.....                           | 24,384 63                           | 3,687 92                         |  | 28,072 55      |
| Elopers.....                                       |                                     | 95 27                            |  | 95 27          |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....       |                                     | 28 40                            |  | 28 40          |
| Fire apparatus.....                                | 2,282 30                            | 101 37                           |  | 2,383 67       |
| Fuel.....  | 3,042 30                            | 9,357 68                         | 136 00   | 12,535 98      |
| Furniture .....                                    | 12,592 68                           | 385 64                           |  | 12,978 32      |
| Gas and other lights....                           | 2,444 57                            | 953 44                           |  | 3,398 01       |
| Hides and pelts.....                               |                                     |                                  | 742 64   | 742 64         |
| House furnishing.....                              | 25,588 89                           | 5,778 28                         |  | 31,367 17      |
| Laboratory.....                                    | 1,508 30                            |                                  |  | 1,508 30       |
| Laundry.....                                       | 3,208 04                            | 1,751 53                         | 273 30   | 5,232 77       |
| Library.....                                       | 2,252 08                            | 502 33                           |  | 2,754 41       |
| Machinery and tools....                            | 2,204 47                            | 185 28                           |  | 2,389 75       |
| Miscellaneous .....                                | 1,440 55                            | 718 63                           |  | 2,159 18       |
| Officers' expenses.....                            |                                     | 216 24                           |  | 216 24         |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph.. | 322 22                              | 742 21                           |  | 1,064 43       |
| Real estate, including<br>building, etc.....       | 744,901 22                          |                                  | 5,125 31   | 750,026 53     |
| Repairs and renewals...                            | 684 25                              | 10,067 01                        |  | 10,751 26      |
| Restraints.....                                    | 24 15                               |                                  |  | 24 15          |
| Scraps.....  |                                     |                                  | 241 81   | 241 81         |
| Special attendance.....                            |                                     | 45 23                            | 890 77   | 936 00         |
| Subsistence.....                                   | 5,113 62                            | 32,343 30                        | 15,696 12  | 53,143 04      |
| Surgical instruments and<br>appliances.....        | 462 02                              | 273 99                           |  | 736 01         |
| Tobacco.....                                       | 20 19                               | 22 22                            |  | 42 41          |
| Wages and salaries.....                            |                                     | 49,479 90                        |  | 49,479 90      |
| Cold storage addition...                           | 4,723 32                            | 401 99                           |  | 5,125 31       |
| Totals.....  | \$861,237 48                        | \$130,119 99                     | \$23,277 77  | \$1,014,635 24 |
| Discounts.....                                     |                                     | 235 07                           |  | 884,454 26     |
| Net expenses.....                                  |                                     | \$129,884 92                     |  | \$130,180 98   |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of

*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES.***for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897.                      | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>from<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       | Gained.     | Expended.    |
|--|--|--|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| \$2,692 81   |  |  | \$2,692 81   |             | \$495 97     |
| 17,403 51  | \$81 50  | \$15,832 12  | 33,317 13    | \$10,336 94 |              |
| 2,318 57   | 82 79  |  | 2,401 36     |             | 5,248 35     |
|  | 9 26   |  | 9 26         |             | 1,056 96     |
|  |  | 235 07   | 235 07       | 235 07      |              |
| 1,034 23   | 82   |  | 1,035 05     |             | 1,271 78     |
| 23,595 56  |  |  | 23,595 56    |             | 4,476 99     |
|  |  |  |              |             | 95 27        |
|  |  |  |              |             | 28 40        |
| 2,153 74   |  |  | 2,153 74     |             | 229 93       |
| 6 00   |  | 171 92   | 177 92       |             | 12,358 06    |
| 12,590 07  |  |  | 12,590 07    |             | 388 25       |
| 1,020 10   | 43 00  |  | 1,063 10     |             | 2,334 91     |
|  | 742 64   |  | 742 64       |             |              |
| 26,255 41  | 31 40  |  | 26,286 81    |             | 5,080 36     |
| 1,508 30   |  |  | 1,508 30     |             |              |
| 4,098 62   |  |  | 4,098 62     |             | 1,134 15     |
| 2,274 98   |  |  | 2,274 98     |             | 479 43       |
| 2,095 70   |  |  | 2,095 70     |             | 294 05       |
| 1,457 35   | 195 00   |  | 1,652 35     |             | 506 83       |
|  | 10 00  |  | 10 00        |             | 206 24       |
| 292 62   | 2 00   |  | 294 92       |             | 769 51       |
| 750,026 53   |  |  | 750,026 53   |             |              |
| 780 63   |  | 241 81   | 1,022 44     |             | 9,728 82     |
| 24 15  |  |  | 24 15        |             |              |
|  | 241 81   |  | 241 81       |             |              |
|  | 936 00   |  | 936 00       |             |              |
| 6,143 75   | 2 25   | 1,015 84   | 7,161 84     |             | 45,991 20    |
| 573 75   |  |  | 573 75       |             | 162 26       |
| 22 24  |  |  | 22 24        |             | 20 17        |
|  | 194 03   | 890 77   | 1,084 80     |             | 48,395 10    |
|  |  | 5,125 31   | 5,125 31     |             |              |
| \$858,368 62   | \$2,572 80   | \$23,512 84  | \$884,454 26 | \$10,572 01 | \$140,752 99 |
|  |  |  |              |             | 10,572 01    |
|  |  |  |              |             | \$130,180 98 |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control..... |  |  |              |             | \$3,193 72   |
|  |  |  |              |             | \$133,374 70 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Northern Hospital for the Insane for the*

| Classified Items.                                 | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer<br>ed to this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.         |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|----------------|
| Amusements .....                                  | \$2,692 81                          | \$473 11                         |  | \$3,165 92     |
| Barn, farm and garden..                           | 17,403 51                           | 3,792 09                         | 153 76   | 21,349 36      |
| Clothing .....                                    | 2,318 57                            | 6,781 19                         |  | 9,099 76       |
| Discharged patients.....                          |                                     | 1,947 96                         |  | 1,947 96       |
| Discounts .....                                   |                                     |                                  |  |                |
| Drug and medical de-<br>partment.....             | 1,034 23                            | 1,454 60                         |  | 2,488 83       |
| Engines and boilers.....                          | 23,595 56                           | 1,329 06                         |  | 24,924 62      |
| Elopers.....                                      |                                     | 98 05                            |  | 98 65          |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....      |                                     | 42 70                            |  | 42 70          |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 2,153 74                            | 353 59                           |  | 2,507 33       |
| Fuel.....   | 6 00                                | 11,190 42                        | 92 00  | 11,288 42      |
| Furniture .....                                   | 12,590 07                           | 140 00                           |  | 12,730 07      |
| Gas and other lights....                          | 1,020 10                            | 4,538 07                         |  | 5,558 17       |
| Hides and pelts.....                              |                                     |                                  | 634 51   | 634 51         |
| House furnishing.....                             | 26,255 41                           | 5,079 48                         |  | 31,334 89      |
| Laboratory.....                                   | 1,508 30                            |                                  |  | 1,508 30       |
| Laundry.....                                      | 4,098 62                            | 1,608 96                         | 679 60   | 6,387 18       |
| Library.....                                      | 2,274 98                            | 488 63                           |  | 2,763 61       |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 2,095 70                            | 186 39                           |  | 2,282 09       |
| Miscellaneous.....                                | 1,457 35                            | 732 89                           |  | 2,190 24       |
| Officers' expenses.....                           |                                     | 184 61                           |  | 184 61         |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 292 62                              | 703 02                           |  | 995 64         |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc.....     | 750,026 53                          |                                  | 15,438 61  | 765,465 14     |
| Repairs and renewals ...                          | 780 63                              | 8,423 13                         |  | 9,203 76       |
| Restraints.....                                   | 24 15                               | 23 05                            |  | 47 20          |
| Scraps .....                                      |                                     |                                  | 19 08  | 19 68          |
| Special attendance.....                           |                                     | 25 20                            | 537 51   | 562 71         |
| Subsistence .....                                 | 6,143 75                            | 35,965 74                        | 12,262 00  | 54,371 49      |
| Surgical instruments and<br>appliances.....       | 573 75                              | 115 88                           |  | 689 63         |
| Tobacco.....                                      | 22 24                               | 28 76                            |  | 51 00          |
| Wages and salaries.....                           |                                     | 48,155 12                        |  | 48,155 12      |
| Disinfecting house .....                          |                                     | 671 68                           |  | 671 68         |
| Fire and boiler insurance                         |                                     | 3,135 00                         |  | 3,135 00       |
| Totals.....                                       | \$858,368 62                        | \$137,668 98                     | \$29,817 67  | \$1,025,855 27 |
| Discounts .....                                   |                                     | 241 84                           |  | 884,367 50     |
| Net expenses.....                                 |                                     | 137,427 14                       |  | 141,487 77     |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of

*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES.***fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1898.                 | Cash receiv-<br>ed on this<br>account dur-<br>ing the year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>account dur-<br>ing the year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.    |
|---|---|---|--------------|------------|--------------|
| \$2,703 78  |   |   | \$2,703 78   |            | \$462 14     |
| 15,411 74   | \$49 00   | \$12,354 00   | 27,814 74    | \$6,465 38 |              |
| 2,526 10  | 82 37   |   | 2,608 47     |            | 6,491 29     |
|   | 22 26   |   | 22 26        |            | 1,925 70     |
|   |   | 241 84  | 241 84       | 241 84     |              |
| 1,095 54  |   |   | 1,095 54     |            | 1,393 29     |
| 18,443 95   | 350 00  |   | 18,793 95    |            | 6,130 67     |
|   |   |   |              |            | 98 65        |
|   |   |   |              |            | 42 70        |
| 1,963 14  |   |   | 1,963 14     |            | 544 19       |
| 164 90  |   | 153 76  | 318 66       |            | 10,969 76    |
| 12,562 18   |   |   | 12,562 18    |            | 167 89       |
| 105 49  | 10 00   |   | 115 49       |            | 5,442 68     |
|   | 634 51  |   | 634 51       |            |              |
| 27,279 49   | 7 85  |   | 27,287 34    |            | 4,047 55     |
| 1,508 30  |   |   | 1,508 30     |            |              |
| 4,688 15  |   |   | 4,688 15     |            | 1,699 03     |
| 2,393 68  |   |   | 2,393 68     |            | 369 93       |
| 1,938 15  |   |   | 1,938 15     |            | 343 94       |
| 1,425 30  | 186 25  |   | 1,611 55     |            | 578 69       |
|   |   |   |              |            | 184 64       |
| 261 67  | 30  |   | 261 97       |            | 733 67       |
| 765,465 14  |   |   | 765,465 14   |            |              |
| 695 17  | 82 55   | 19 68   | 797 40       |            | 8,406 36     |
| 47 20   |   |   | 47 20        |            |              |
|   | 19 68   |   | 19 68        |            |              |
|   | 562 71  |   | 562 71       |            |              |
| 5,293 41  | 232 90  | 1,314 11  | 6,840 42     |            | 47,531 07    |
| 597 82  |   |   | 597 82       |            | 91 84        |
| 29 09   |   |   | 29 09        |            | 21 91        |
|   | 235 15  | 537 51  | 772 66       |            | 47,382 46    |
|   |   | 671 68  | 671 68       |            |              |
|   |   |   |              |            | 3,135 00     |
| \$866,599 39  | \$2,475 53  | \$15,292 58   | \$884,367 50 | \$6,707 22 | \$148,194 99 |
|   |   |   |              |            | 6,707 22     |
|   |   |   |              |            | 141,487 77   |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control |   |   |              |            | 3,200 00     |
|   |   |   |              |            | \$144,687 77 |

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## STATEMENT OF MONEY RECEIVED AT THE INSTITUTION.

| Classification.                                 | Year ending<br>Sept. 30,<br>1897. | Year ending<br>Sept. 30.<br>1898. |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Barn, farm and garden.....                      | \$81 50                           | \$49 00                           |
| Board and clothing patients.....                | 1,085 68                          | 915 85                            |
| Clothing .....                                  | 82 79                             | 82 37                             |
| Discharged patients ..                          | 9 26                              | 22 26                             |
| Drug and medical department .....               | 82                                | .....                             |
| Engines and boilers.....                        | .....                             | 350 00                            |
| Gas and other lights.....                       | 43 00                             | 10 00                             |
| Hides and pelts.....                            | 742 64                            | 634 51                            |
| House furnishing.....                           | 31 40                             | 7 85                              |
| Miscellaneous .....                             | 195 00                            | 186 25                            |
| Officers expenses .....                         | 10 00                             | .....                             |
| Printing postage stationery and telegraph ..... | 2 30                              | 30                                |
| Repairs and renewals .....                      | .....                             | 82 55                             |
| Scraps.....                                     | 241 81                            | 19 68                             |
| Special attendance .....                        | 936 00                            | 562 71                            |
| Subsistence.....                                | 2 25                              | 232 90                            |
| Wages and salaries.....                         | 194 03                            | 235 15                            |
| Totals.....                                     | \$3,658 48                        | \$3,391 38                        |



*Statistical Tables.***CASH TAKEN FROM PATIENTS FOR SAFE KEEPING.**

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| On hand October 1st, 1896.....                     | \$803 39   |
| Received during the two years.....                 | 1,897 83   |
| Total.....   | \$2,701 22 |
| Returned to patients or their representatives..... | 1,210 97   |
| Balance in hands of steward October 1st, 1898..... | \$1,490 25 |

**CASH DEPOSITED TO BE EXPENDED FOR THE BENEFIT OF PATIENTS.**

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| On hand Oct. 1st, 1896.....                      | \$736 14   |
| Received during the two years.....               | 710 33     |
| Total .....                                      | \$1,446 47 |
| Expended for the benefit of patients.....        | 699 95     |
| Balance in hands of steward Oct. 1st, 1898 ..... | \$746 52   |

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## FARM AND GARDEN PRODUCTS.

| ARTICLES.           | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30TH, 1897. |          | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30TH, 1898. |          |
|---------------------|--|----------|--|----------|
|                     | Quantity.                                  | Value.   | Quantity.                                  | Value.   |
| Asparagus .....     | 2,695 bchs.                                | \$123 40 | 3,296 bch.                                 | \$65 92  |
| Barley .....        | 944 bu.                                    | 283 20   | 748 bu.                                    | 224 40   |
| Beef .....          | 11 hd. 7,174 lbs.                          | 394 57   | 18 hd. 10,090 lbs.                         | 617 72   |
| Beans, dry .....    | 10 bu.                                     | 12 90    | 18 bu.                                     | 18 00    |
| Beans, lima .....   | 623 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                      | 94 12    | 821 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                      | 72 45    |
| Beans, wax .....    | 208 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                      | 99 71    | 1311 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                     | 51 09    |
| Beets .....         | 665 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                      | 264 73   | 824 bu.                                    | 137 50   |
| Beets, green .....  | .....                                      | .....    | 3,900 bch.                                 | 52 00    |
| Barley straw .....  | 20 tons.                                   | 100 00   | 13 tons.                                   | 26 00    |
| Cabbage, early ..   | 1,986 hds.                                 | 54 43    | 3,712 hds.                                 | 54 04    |
| Cabbage, winter ..  | 1,100 hds.                                 | 33 00    | 11,200 hds.                                | 112 00   |
| Carrots .....       | 745 bu.                                    | 191 43   | 270 bu.                                    | 37 80    |
| Cauliflower .....   | 441 hds.                                   | 14 33    | 2,416 hds.                                 | 39 28    |
| Calves .....        | 33   | 51 50    | 36   | 54 00    |
| Celery .....        | 12,693 bchs.                               | 253 86   | 14,769 bch.                                | 148 38   |
| Corn, sweet .....   | 694 bu.                                    | 367 25   | 4781 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                     | 235 30   |
| Corn, dry .....     | 2,750 bu.                                  | 715 00   | 2,550 bu.                                  | 765 00   |
| Cornstalks .....    | 175 tons.                                  | 875 00   | 60 tons.                                   | 120 00   |
| Celery .....        | 1,200 bch.                                 | 24 00    | .....                                      | .....    |
| Citron .....        | .....                                      | .....    | 50   | 2 50     |
| Cucumbers, gr'n.    | 2023 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                     | 153 68   | 209 bu.                                    | 98 91    |
| Cucumbers, p'k'd .. | 121 bu.                                    | 121 00   | 118 bu.                                    | 59 00    |
| Cucumbers, dill..   | 2 bbls.                                    | 24 00    | .....                                      | .....    |
| Chickens .....      | 75   | 22 50    | 110  | 33 00    |
| Currants .....      | 153 qts.                                   | 7 74     | 271 qts.                                   | 13 55    |
| Eggs .....          | 34 doz.                                    | 3 40     | 4871 $\frac{1}{2}$ doz.                    | 47 20    |
| Grapes .....        | 14 bu.                                     | 21 00    | 23 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                       | 34 87    |
| Ham and bacon ..    | 225 lbs.                                   | 22 50    | 2,500 lbs.                                 | 212 51   |
| Hay .....           | 110 tons.                                  | 935 00   | 175 tons.                                  | 1,225 00 |
| Horseradish .....   | 61 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                       | 6 25     | 4 bu.                                      | 6 00     |
| Gooseberries .....  | 604 qts.                                   | 24 26    | 622 qts.                                   | 24 88    |
| Ice .....           | 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons.                      | 7 50     | 15 tons.                                   | 30 00    |
| Kale .....          | 3,156 hds.                                 | 94 68    | .....                                      | .....    |
| Kohi-Rabi .....     | 21 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu. & 981 bch             | 31 68    | 1,455 bch.                                 | 31 50    |
| Lard .....          | 8,153 lbs.                                 | 441 57   | 3,395 lbs.                                 | 168 13   |
| Lettuce .....       | 6,255 bch.                                 | 189 06   | 9,099 bchs.                                | 182 92   |
| Mangel-Wurtzel..    | 6,900 bu.                                  | 1,380 00 | 4,200 bu.                                  | 420 00   |
| Millet .....        | 100 tons.                                  | 750 00   | .....                                      | .....    |
| Milk .....          | 186,407 qts.                               | 7,456 28 | 157,640 qts.                               | 6,305 60 |
| Melons, musk ...    | 5,382                                      | 108 76   | 8,145                                      | 133 78   |
| Oats .....          | 2,700 bu.                                  | 540 00   | 3,000 bu.                                  | 900 00   |
| Oat straw .....     | 75 tons.                                   | 375 00   | 30 tons.                                   | 60 00    |
| Onions, dry .....   | 907 bu.                                    | 485 00   | 349 bu.                                    | 183 60   |
| Onions, green ...   | 15,231 bch.                                | 486 95   | 16,727 bch.                                | 352 75   |
| Onions, winter ..   | 35 bu.                                     | 35 00    | 18 bu.                                     | 18 00    |

*Statistical Tables.*

## FARM AND GARDEN PRODUCTS — Continued.

| ARTICLES.         | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30TH, 1897. |             | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30TH, 1898. |             |
|-------------------|--|-------------|--|-------------|
|                   | Quantity.                                  | Value.      | Quantity.                                  | Value.      |
| Parsley .....     | 135 bch.                                   | \$6 75      | 36 bch.                                    | \$1 76      |
| Parsnips .....    | 350 bu.                                    | 262 50      | 355 bu.                                    | 106 50      |
| Peas, green.....  | 337½ bu.                                   | 240 38      | 240¾ bu.                                   | 119 12      |
| Peppers .....     | 84½ doz.                                   | 8 45        | 129 doz.                                   | 7 32        |
| Pork, fresh.....  | 9,681 lbs.                                 | 437 64      | 7,180 lbs.                                 | 404 85      |
| Pork, salt .....  | 1,564 lbs.                                 | 107 63      | 1,792 lbs.                                 | 117 82      |
| Potatoes .....    | 1,323 bu.                                  | 556 80      | 655 bu.                                    | 227 60      |
| Pumpkins .....    | 2,421                                      | 74 44       | 2,575                                      | 52 25       |
| Radishes .....    | 7,670 bch.                                 | 192 20      | 8,967 bchs.                                | 117 49      |
| Radishes, winter. | 15 bu.                                     | 15 00       | 50 bu.                                     | 25 00       |
| Raspberries ..... | 486 qts.                                   | 33 92       | 364 qts.                                   | 14 56       |
| Rhubarb .....     | 3,924 bch.                                 | 170 81      | 4,286 bchs.                                | 86 62       |
| Sage .....        | 3,620 bch.                                 | 217 20      | 968 bchs.                                  | 19 36       |
| Salsify .....     | 210 bu.                                    | 168 00      | 236 bu.                                    | 94 40       |
| Spinach .....     | .....                                      | .....       | 3,500 bchs.                                | 52 50       |
| Sausage .....     | 4,693 lbs.                                 | 281 58      | 2,175 lbs.                                 | 130 50      |
| Savory .....      | 100 bch.                                   | 8 00        | 90 bchs.                                   | 4 50        |
| Squash .....      | 40,160 lbs.                                | 424 10      | 50,160 lbs.                                | 250 80      |
| Squash, summer.   | 6,000 lbs.                                 | 83 00       | 13,430 lbs.                                | 147 55      |
| Tomatoes .....    | 186 bu.                                    | 78 80       | 443¾ bu.                                   | 80 19       |
| Tomatoes, cann'd  | 407 bu.                                    | 144 20      | 552 bu.                                    | 220 80      |
| Turnips .....     | 402¼ bu.                                   | 160 98      | 462½ bu.                                   | 138 75      |
| Veal .....        | .....                                      | .....       | 1,388 lbs.                                 | 100 18      |
| Wood .....        | 68 cds.                                    | 136 00      | 46 cds.                                    | 92 00       |
| Pigs .....        | 132  | 561 00      | 116  | 493 00      |
| Totals.....       | .....                                      | \$22,144 62 | .....                                      | \$16,480 00 |



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# **EIGHTH BIENNIAL REPORT**

**(THE FORTY-SIXTH AND FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORTS)**

**OF THE**

# **Wisconsin School for the Deaf**

**FOR THE**

**Biennial Period Ending September 30, 1898.**

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## OFFICERS.

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| JOHN W. SWILER, A. M ..... | SUPERINTENDENT   |
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| SARAH D. GIBSON, B. S..... | MATRON           |
| TILLIE CANNAN.....         | ASSISSANT MATRON |
| JOSEPH E. WACHUTA.....     | BOYS' SUPERVISOR |
| W. M. STILLMAN.....        | ENGINEER         |

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## INSTRUCTORS

### MANUAL DEPARTMENT.

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| W. A. COCHRANE, M. A.....   | WARREN ROBINSON, M. A. |
| J. SCHUYLER LONG, M. A..... | J. J. MURPHY, B. A.    |
| THOMAS HAGERTY, B. A.       |                        |

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### ORAL DEPARTMENT.

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| A. I. HOBART, B. S.....  | TRACHER IN CHARGE OF ARTICULATION |
| IVA C. PEARCE, B. S..... | ELSIE M. STEINKE                  |
| W. F. GRAY.....          | SETH W. GREGORY, M. A.            |
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| FLORENCE PARRY.....      | MYRTLE LONG                       |

ELIZABETH B. PHOENIX.

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### ART DEPARTMENT.

LILLIAN SORRENSEN.

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### MANUAL TRAINING.

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| E. J. BENDING..... | A. F. STRUCKMEYER |
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### PHYSICAL CULTURE.

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| THOMAS HAGERTY..... | E. FLORENCE LONG |
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### INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

|                      |                 |
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| JOHN BEAMSLEY.....   | IN SHOEMAKING   |
| FRED C. LARSON.....  | IN PRINTING     |
| G. W. KIRK.....      | IN BAKING       |

## SUPERINTENDENTS' REPORT.

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*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:— In compliance with the law governing the educational institutions of the state it becomes my duty to present the Eighth Biennial Report of the Wisconsin School for the Deaf; and, in so doing to submit the following statement of its condition and progress during the biennial period which closes with the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1898; it being my nineteenth and the forty-seventh annual report of the school.

There were one hundred and seventy-nine pupils present September 30th, 1896; one hundred and ninety-one in attendance September 30th, 1897; the entire number present during the last year has been two hundred and thirty-two (232); two hundred and twenty-one names still appear on the roll of the school, with one hundred and ninety-three in attendance at this date, September 30th, 1898.

Since the close of my last report, Sept. 30th, 1896, seventy-two (72) new pupils have entered the school (35 girls and 37 boys), and fourteen (14) former pupils (4 girls and 10 boys) have returned. Of the forty-one pupils who have left school within the last two years, nineteen have been graduated, upon the completion of the course of study, five have received honorable discharges, one has died, and the others have gone to school elsewhere, removed from the state or still remain at home.

The names of graduates appear elsewhere; with but few exceptions they are already self-supporting, independent citizens of the commonwealth, each contributing to the advancement of the community and proving the efficiency of their instruction.

Your attention is also invited to the alumni enrollment, which includes many upright honorable men and women of whom the state may well be proud. It includes the names of two hundred

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and forty-seven graduates of the school; among these appear forty-eight farmers, eighteen shoemakers, eighteen printers, five painters, seven teachers, seven carpenters, three cabinet-makers, five mill hands, two machinists, four artists, three clerks, two tailors, three laundresses, besides many others who are following special lines of work.

Pursuant to the invitation of your honorable board, and the generous provisions made for the entertainment of the alumni, at the school during their eighth reunion, they held a session of their association, June 11th to 15th, 1898, at which there were 104 in attendance. The hospitality of the school was extended to all; the occasion was one of much enjoyment, and was heartily appreciated. At the close of the session the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the thanks of this association be hereby tendered to the Board of Control, to Supt. Swiler, Matron Gibson, and to their assistants who contributed so much to the pleasant and agreeable entertainment during the reunion at Phoenix Green."

#### HEALTH.

The health and comfort of the household has continued without interruption by accident or disease, with the single exception of an epidemic of measles in the fall of 1897, which numbered sixty-four cases; these, with one exception, all rapidly and completely recovered.

Following the measles was one death, the only one in two years. Anna Ferguetz, of Lynn, Clark county, a very bright and promising girl in the third grade, was attacked by pneumonia while recovering from measles, and after an illness of seven days passed away, October 12th, 1897. Her body was taken home for interment near the family residence, Lynn, Clark county.

Dr. Solon Marks and Dr. U. O. B. Wingate, of the state board of health, made an official inspection of the school, No-



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vember 27th, 1896; and in their report they were pleased to say that the sanitary condition of the buildings was excellent and the appearance of the pupils robust and healthful.

The school was also inspected by the legislative committee appointed by the governor, composed of Senator D. W. Woodworth and Assemblyman T. J. McGrath, accompanied by Hon. Wm. Penn Lyon of your board, who reported favorably on the standing of the pupils and complimented the management on the character of their work.

#### MANUAL TRAINING.

The desire for manual training, so long felt and so often recommended, has at last been gratified by the erection and equipment of a building, which meets the most sanguine expectations. The two-story brick and stone building in which the manual training is carried on, stands to the rear in the left center of the campus. It is well built and conveniently arranged, the interior finish is substantial and plain, every detail being carried out with a view to utility, the heating and ventilation is entirely satisfactory and the lighting of every room is complete. Its dimensions are 64x44 feet, with projections in front and rear for convenient and suitable entrances and stairways. It provides ample room for wood work at the bench; joinery and turning, casting and forging on the first floor. The wood room, 36x40 feet, is equipped with lathes, a combination saw, benches and tools of the latest design, and drawing tables with an outfit of instruments for mechanical and architectural drawing.

Here the boys design and make details of constructive work, including ground plans and elevations of buildings and afterwards apply them to actual work. The forge room, 36x40 feet, is well supplied with the latest improved down-draft, Buffalo forges and tools; and also appliances for moulding and casting.

On the second floor the sewing room, 24x40 feet, and the

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cooking school room, of the same dimensions, are both well supplied with all the needful appliances. The studio, 24x40 feet, is a beautiful, well lighted room in which, for the first time in the history of the school, the art department and its work is suitably installed.

The manual training building was first occupied February 1st, the machinery was started February 23d, and the public dedication took place April 30th, 1897, in the presence of Hon. Wm. Penn Lyon and Hon. E. R. Petherick of your Board. The orators of the day were Hon. Wm. H. Chandler, Asst. Supt. of Public Instruction, Dr. H. H. Belfield, the accomplished president of the Chicago Manual Training School, W. Robinson and J. S. Long, of the institution faculty. The opening was largely attended, the machinery was in operation, the cooking class served lunch and the building was open for inspection during the day. As competent teachers have been secured and the Board has provided the best tools and machinery, with all needful appliances for carrying on this work, it at once assumes that place among the educational forces of the school which its importance deserves. I beg to assure you that its value is appreciated and that the pupils, in drawing and working, show ability to comprehend intricate designs and exact details with such precision and fidelity as to inspire confidence and the highest commendation. In the forge room a class of six boys has shown skill, energy and ingenuity in the use of the hammer and tongs and this work in iron and steel is quite popular. The senior boys have been much interested in pattern making and moulding, which is the most advanced work placed before them.

For further particulars of this work see Prof E. J. Bending's report.

The educational function of manual training is kept uppermost and applied to all pupils in course so that the awkward and backward may have an equal chance of development with those who are more favored intellectually.

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An exhibition of the manual training work of the school, in wood, in iron and needlework, with a display of original drawings from the studio, was shown at the meeting of the N. E. A. in Milwaukee, July, 1897; and also at the convention of American instructors of the deaf at Columbus, O., in July, 1898. There was a large attendance of our teachers at the Milwaukee meeting; and the superintendent, with Mr. Robinson and Miss Sorrensen, were at the Columbus convention. In addition to those present from the school, Miss Agnes Steinke, Mr. Bending and Mr. Gregory sent papers, which will appear in the proceedings. The convention at Columbus is a national affair, its meetings occur triennially and it is the occasion of much interest. We were entertained by the state of Ohio in ample form, Supt. and Mrs. Jones with their assistants sparing no effort to make the entertainment, what it was, altogether delightful. The art exhibit of this school, with the work in wood and iron, and the many specimens of beautiful embroidery, handsome dresses, and other excellent needlework attracted much attention. A number of other schools made displays of their work, but none were more worthy of attention and the occasion of more frequent remark than that from the Wisconsin school. Mr. Robinson, of this school, was re-elected chairman of the industrial section of the convention. The next convention will be held in 1901; and, although the place of meeting will not be determined until the year before it meets, I took pleasure in presenting to the convention an invitation from your Hon. Board to hold its next meeting in Wisconsin.

#### THE SCHOOL.

At no previous period has the literary standing of the school been higher than now, and never before have so many of its pupils been taught to speak. Owing to the fact that the school has not increased in numbers, I have been able to reduce the size of classes so that they now average twelve pupils, instead

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of fifteen as ten years ago; increased experience in speech teaching, with closer grading, and constant insistence on the use of speech has had a good effect upon oral work in the school. Speech has grown in popularity with the years, and pupils desire to speak more than ever before. In advanced grades, in which an extensive vocabulary is employed, the speech of pupils is not entirely satisfactory; their voices are still imperfect; and there is much of disappointment in their speech; but they are learning that a little speech is very much better than no speech at all; and the desire to speak, with a determination to succeed, has so encouraged the teaching of speech in the school that I am able to report more than half of the pupils in the school enrolled in speaking classes; while more than two-thirds of all pupils below the fifth grade are using speech in all their recitations. There are twenty-three pupils, in two classes, of the First Grade; of these five may prove oral failures, the others give many indications of success. In two classes, of the second grade, there are two doubtful cases, the other members of the second grade will all make good talkers. In the Third Grade, oral, there are three oral failures in a class of twelve. In two classes of the Fourth Grade, oral, of twenty-three pupils, the success of six of them in intelligible speech is still doubtful; but all other members of this grade are good talkers. The speech of members of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades is not as intelligible in many instances as it should be, but every member of these three classes has undoubted ability to make their wants known and to carry on conversation orally with any one.

In the course of study, much attention is given to reading, and a more general interest in literature is noticed than heretofore. Owing to the double course, part manual and part oral, there was no graduating class in 1898; but a large class left the school in 1897, and there will be two classes, one oral and one manual, ready to leave the school at the close of the present

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year. However much we may be inclined to provide oral instruction for all pupils in the school, experience teaches that many of them cannot expect to attain oral success; but, even in cases in which much time and attention has been devoted to articulation, without notable success in speech, it is clearly apparent that such pupils will compare favorably with others of the same grade, under manual instruction when subjected to literary or scholastic tests.

This leads to the conclusion that however much we may doubt the oral success of some, who are taught by articulation, there is no longer room to doubt that, articulation pupils of any grade are the equals of pupils of the same grade in manual classes, in composition, in arithmetic and in general knowledge.

Drawing and writing receive as much attention as formerly, and the instruction in physical culture is eminently satisfactory.

As before reported the periods for work and study have been so readjusted that advanced pupils have four hours, daily, for recitation, two hours for evening study and reading, and three and one-half hours for work; intermediate pupils have four and one-half hours at recitation, with two and one-half hours for manual training and work; the lower grades have four and one-half hours in the school room, in two short periods with two hours for work, and the rest of the day for recreation.

This arrangement is entirely satisfactory and while it gives more time for industrial instruction still allows ample time for recitation without lowering the standard of literary attainments.

#### THE EMPLOYMENT OF AN OCULIST AND AURIST.

Greater experience in the oral instruction of the deaf, and the advancement of scientific knowledge, shows that speech teaching is promoted by correct information in relation to the condition of their ears and throats, as a preliminary to subsequent instruction. Whenever the actual condition of the respiratory tract is known before instruction begins, suitable attention may be

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given to each individual case, with economy of time and labor, which otherwise might be expended upon unprofitable subjects.

A specialist in diseases of the ear and throat should be able in a single examination, to determine conditions, which otherwise might long remain unknown. Whether the condition of dumbness arises from defective hearing, imperfect organs of speech, or enfeebled intellect, successful efforts to relieve the defect can only be applied after the conditions are clearly defined.

Accordingly, I would respectfully suggest that the Board consider the propriety of employing a competent oculist and aurist to examine and record annually, the conditions affecting the eyes, the ears and the vocal organs of all new pupils.

As this school is also a home it endeavors to impress those principles of virtue and morality upon its pupils, which the home must teach, by precept and example; and together with these a knowledge of the social amenities and courtesies of life which all well bred people need to know and to exemplify in a respectful consideration of the rights of others and of the comfort and convenience of their associates.

The only changes to be noted in the official corps of this school are the employment of Mr. Ed. D. Fiske, in place of Mr. H. G. Hambright resigned; the engagement of Misses M. D. Fonner and M. Long as teachers, and the return of Mrs. E. B. Phoenix and Miss Agnes Steinke from a year in Europe.

□ Mr. Hambright has gone into private business which promises him adequate returns, and the best wishes of all our institution family accompany him. Mr. Fiske returns to duties with which he was already familiar, and fills the position of clerk with entire acceptance.

Miss Fonner has become one of the most valued teachers in the school and Miss Long begins with every promise of success. Mr. W. H. Stillman, for many years the efficient engineer, returned to duty here in December, 1896, and continues to run

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the heating and lighting plant with complete success. His return was pursuant to the resignation of Mr. Perce Martin, who left the school to undertake a private enterprise in another state.

Permit me, in this connection, to express my appreciation of the interest which the entire official force of the school has shown in the work assigned them; and, in so doing to say that their fidelity to duty, their patient consideration of the duties which devolve upon them, and their willingness to respond to all calls for service have been the means of accomplishing the noteworthy achievements of the last two years. This is especially true of my assistants in the domestic department, the matrons and the boys' supervisor, whose work is never done; but, in the doing of it they are worthy of all commendation.

#### IMPROVEMENTS.

It is a pleasure to mention the improvements in the heating and lighting of the buildings of the school; since so much is thereby added to the efficiency of the institution and to the comfort of its inmates. This includes two new boilers, with Hawley down-draft furnaces which have replaced the old boilers after seventeen years of service, at an outlay of \$4,130.40. The change in the steam pressure from high to low, by the employment of a vacuum system, and a new installation of the entire electric service of the school, with the addition of motors as substitutes for engines in furnishing power for laundry and manual training work, includes a new dynamo and engine, with all possible precautions for efficiency and safety.

The new tile floor in the lower halls of the main building cost \$472.80; and, the new ice house, which was built by the carpenter shop force cost but the price of material. New steel ceilings have been placed in the bakery, large kitchen and boy's study room and much of the interior wood work has been painted. A cement walk was laid in front of the boy's building where

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the wear is greatest; and many other walks will need renewal during the next two years. Permit me to urge the adoption of cement as material for walks of a more durable form than those of plank, which need frequent renewal.

New desks are much needed in some of the school rooms, and more comfortable seats in the girls' and boys' study rooms. We are crowded for room in the girls' dormitories, as the number of girls in the school has increased in recent years, and your attention is invited to some method of affording the girls more room. It is especially desirable that the large girls should have a separate sitting room, in which they might be free from the constant annoyance of the smaller girls during their hours for recreation and study.

The average attendance for 1897 was 184.6; for 1898 it was 196.5; the total cost of maintenance for 1897 was \$52,452.08; and, for 1898 it was \$43,286.34; making the total per capita cost \$284.13 for 1897 and \$220.28 for 1898.

The above statement includes the sum total expended for all purposes during two years; money spent for repairs on walks, buildings and grounds, for roofing and painting, and especially for the renewal of the lighting system, the reconstruction of the heating plant, involving the purchase of new boilers, new furnaces, new motors; and, a completion of the equipment for manual training. These necessary expenditures, with the moderate average attendance of 1897, makes the per capita of that year unusually high but, it will be seen that the per capita expenditure for 1898 is not much in advance of previous years, that of 1896 being \$219.68.

Increasing attention to speech teaching, which requires smaller classes, must enlarge the annual expenditure; on the basis of \$225 per capita and an attendance of 200 pupils annually, I estimate that the ordinary current expenses of the ensuing two years may be adequately met by an appropriation of \$90,000.00; that is \$45,000.00 for each year. That this is a moderate estimate, will at once be seen, when it is remembered



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that no increase of pupils is considered although the attendance will probably be larger than in the past; and, that day schools for the deaf, which provide only day school instruction receive \$150.00 per capita, while this school provides board and medical attendance, supervision, instruction in trades, in manual training, in art and in physical culture; and, in addition thereto clothing for some, at an additional expense of less than \$75.00 per capita.

The most urgent needs of the school in the line of special improvements are:

First: A cottage for small girls, with suitable hospital rooms for the care of the girls when sick; such a building of plain but substantial brick and stone construction might be constructed for \$12,000.00.

Second: In view of the decaying condition of many of the walks about the school, it would be advisable to lay about 4,500 square feet of cement walks, which at a cost of \$1.00 per square yard would require an outlay of \$500.00.

Third: The decaying condition of the front fence, which has stood for thirty years, demands attention; and it would be desirable to renew twenty-two (22) rods of it in front of the main buildings with a plain substantial wrought steel fence. This can be done approximately for \$350.00.

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|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Biennial current expenses .....      | \$90,000 00  |
| Cottage and hospital for girls ..... | 12,000 00    |
| New walks .....                      | 500 00       |
| New front fence.....                 | 350 00       |
|                                      | <hr/>        |
|                                      | \$102,850 00 |

Our most distinguished visitor during the two years just closed was Governor Wm. H. Upham, who called at the school November 27th, 1896, and made a careful inspection of all its departments.

Superintendent Henry W. Rothert and Mrs. Rothert of the

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Iowa institution for the deaf, favored us with a visit November 18th, 1896.

Hon. Gates Strawn, Hon. Robert H. Harper and Hon. James R. Smith, trustees of the Illinois institution for the deaf, visited the school May 10th, 1897.

The liberality with which many state and institution papers contribute to our reading rooms is greatly appreciated; to many of our pupils they are like letters from home and to others they afford a means of information in their leisure hours which otherwise they could not enjoy.

Thanks are hereby returned to publishers of all papers that are sent to the school or in exchange with the Times; and the contributions of others solicited.

The school is under many obligations to the C., M. & St. P. R. R., to the C. & N. W. R. R., and to the Wisconsin C. R. R. for favors and attention shown to pupils in their transportation to and from their homes. No accident has ever occurred while pupils were going to or coming from their homes while in charge of a messenger from the school.

In closing I desire to express my appreciation of the uniform courtesy and consideration which your honorable Board has so kindly displayed; and in so doing beg to thank you for many expressions of confidence and esteem.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. SWILER,  
Superintendent.

Wisconsin School for the Deaf, Delavan, Wis.

November 15th, 1898.

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## REPORT ON MANUAL TRAINING.

J. W. SWILER,

Superintendent Wisconsin School for the Deaf.

DEAR SIR: It affords me pleasure to submit to you the first report of Manual Training in the Wisconsin School for the Deaf.

This being the second year in this department, we have had time to thoroughly test all equipment, and see with what interest and ability the deaf boys take hold of this work. They have been thoroughly interested from the beginning. Some of them have shown marked mechanical ability, and I would respectfully suggest the feasibility of all boys entering the school, of the proper age, taking the entire course of Manual Training. This need not necessarily interfere with the literary course or any special trade. There are many features in Manual Training that the boy cannot obtain in special trade teaching. It will give him a broader conception and a better knowledge of any one of the several trades he may desire to follow in the future. To obtain the best results of Manual Training the boy should commence at the beginning and pass through all the different branches.

## WOOD DEPARTMENT.

In this department 71 boys have received instruction in knife work, mechanical drawing, carpentry, gluing, veneering, inlaying, carving, wood turning, pattern work and a few exercises in construction.

## MOLDING AND CASTING.

It being so late in the school year before we were able to take up the work in molding, we have not been able to advance very far. The boys are greatly interested in this work and it is a satisfaction to see with what eagerness they open the flask to see the result of their work. If he has obtained a perfect casting, the look of pride and satisfaction on his face shows that his whole heart is in his work. Thus far the class has been instructed in the use of molding tools and flasks, preparation of sand and core making. The casting has been done in lead from patterns made by the class and consist of small face plates, caps, boxes, anvils, wrenches, collars, hand wheels, etc. With the addition of a small brass furnace, the cost of which would be \$35.00, this department will be quite complete and we may expect some excellent work from the boys.

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## FORGE WORK.

This being the second year in forging the class has worked to some disadvantage in not having a knowledge and experience of the other branches of manual training.

In the forge work everything depends on the student; his eyes, his hands and his judgment are in constant use. No machine aids him here; he must rely on self only and his quick judgment and application of force is required to properly shape his work. But with this disadvantage the class has done some good work in drawing out, upsetting, shaping, punching, cutting, riveting, welding, and a few exercises in tool making, tempering and ornamental work.

The electric motor has given sufficient power to run all machinery in use.

The benches and bench tools, turning lathes and circular saw have all given the best satisfaction, and to complete the equipment in the wood department, I would respectfully recommend that a band saw be added. It would give a broader field in which to work and greatly facilitate the work in wood carving and pattern making.

The members of the Board of Control have visited this department many times and through you permit me to thank them for the kind interest they have shown in my work. And in conclusion let me thank you for the many valuable suggestions and untiring interest and encouragement you have given me since I took up my work at the Wisconsin School for the Deaf.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,

E. J. BENDING,

*Principal of Manual Training for Boys.*

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**APPENDIX TO THE EIGHTH BIENNIAL REPORT OF THE  
WISCONSIN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.**

1. Movement of population.
2. Average monthly attendance.
3. Cause of deafness in new pupils.
4. Nativity of parents of new pupils.
5. Age of new pupils when hearing was lost.
6. Age of new pupils at admission.
7. Consanguinity of parents.
8. Classification and age of the school, September 30th, 1898.
9. Class of 1897. Names of graduates.
10. Names of new pupils admitted since September, 1896.
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21. The alumni.
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*Movement of population in the Wisconsin School for the Deaf, during the biennial period ending September 30th, 1898.*

|  | 1897. |        |        | 1898. |        |        |
|--|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
|  | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
| Admitted after Sept. 30, 1896 and 1897.....          | 5     | 3      | 8      | 3     | 7      | 10     |
| Re-admitted.....                                     | 1     | 2      | 3      | 4     | 0      | 4      |
| Admitted in Sept. 1897 and 1898.                     | 13    | 17     | 30     | 16    | 8      | 24     |
| Re-admitted.....                                     | 3     | 1      | 4      | 2     | 1      | 3      |
| Admissions each year.....                            | 22    | 23     | 45     | 25    | 16     | 41     |
| Pupils present Sept. 30, 1896 and 1897.....          | 99    | 80     | 179    | 99    | 92     | 191    |
| Total annual attendance..                            | 121   | 103    | 224    | 124   | 108    | 232    |
| Graduated in June .....                              | 12    | 7      | 19     | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Died.....  | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | 1      | 1      |
| Honorably discharged .....                           | 1     | 1      | 2      | 3     | .....  | 3      |
| Dismissed as incapable.....                          | 1     | .....  | 1      | 2     | 2      | 4      |
| Transferred to other schools.....                    | 3     | 2      | 5      | 1     | 2      | 3      |
| Removed from the state.....                          | 2     | 1      | 3      | 1     | .....  | 1      |
| Total removals in 1897 and 1898.....                 | 19    | 11     | 30     | 7     | 4      | 11     |
| Names on roll Sept., 1897 and 1898                   | 102   | 92     | 194    | 117   | 104    | 221    |
| Absentees .....                                      | 3     | 0      | 3      | 16    | 12     | 28     |
| Number of pupils actually present Sept., '97 and '98 | 99    | 92     | 191    | 101   | 92     | 193    |

*Statistical Tables.**Average monthly attendance.*

|                | 1897. | 1898. |                | 1897. | 1898. |
|----------------|-------|-------|----------------|-------|-------|
| October .....  | 181   | 190   | May.....       | 188   | 198   |
| November ..... | 185   | 193   | June.....      | 186   | 197   |
| December ..... | 183   | 197   | September..... | 176   | 190   |
| January.....   | 186   | 198   |                |       |       |
| February.....  | 187   | 200   | Total.....     | 1,846 | 1,965 |
| March.....     | 187   | 201   |                |       |       |
| April .....    | 187   | 201   | Average.....   | 184.6 | 196.5 |

*Causes of deafness in cases admitted during the biennial period ending September 30th, 1898.*

|                          |    |                 |    |
|--------------------------|----|-----------------|----|
| Congenital .....         | 38 | Diphtheria..... | 1  |
| Scarlet fever.....       | 5  | Lightning ..... | 1  |
| Cerebral meningitis..... | 9  | Erysipelas..... | 1  |
| Spinal meningitis.....   | 5  | Unknown.....    | 2  |
| Catarrh.....             | 4  | Sunstroke.....  | 1  |
| Otorrhea .....           | 4  |                 |    |
| Whooping cough.....      | 1  | Total.....      | 72 |

*Nativity of parents of new pupils.*

|                |    |                 |    |
|----------------|----|-----------------|----|
| American ..... | 20 | Norwegian ..... | 5  |
| English .....  | 4  | Swedish .....   | 2  |
| Swiss .....    | 2  | Polish .....    | 4  |
| Bohemian.....  | 3  | Danish .....    | 1  |
| French .....   | 3  | Scotch .....    | 1  |
| Belgian .....  | 1  | Welsh .....     | 1  |
| Russian.....   | 1  |                 |    |
| German .....   | 24 | Total .....     | 72 |

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*Age of new pupils when hearing was lost.*

|                     |    |                      |    |
|---------------------|----|----------------------|----|
| Congenital .....    | 38 | At three years ..... | 6  |
| At two years .....  | 9  | At five years .....  | 4  |
| At four years ..... | 1  | At seven years ..... | 2  |
| At six years .....  | 3  | At ten years .....   | 1  |
| At nine years ..... | 1  |                      |    |
| At one year .....   | 7  | Total .....          | 72 |

*Age of new pupils at date of admission.*

|                            |    |                                |    |
|----------------------------|----|--------------------------------|----|
| At six years of age .....  | 1  | At thirteen years of age ..... | 2  |
| At eight years .....       | 13 | At fourteen years .....        | 2  |
| At nine years .....        | 9  | At fifteen years .....         | 3  |
| At ten years .....         | 7  | At sixteen years .....         | 4  |
| At eleven years .....      | 5  | At seventeen years .....       | 1  |
| At twelve years .....      | 9  | At twenty-three years .....    | 1  |
| At nineteen years .....    | 3  |                                |    |
| At twenty-four years ..... | 2  | Total .....                    | 72 |
| At seven years .....       | 10 |                                |    |

*Consanguinity of parents of new pupils.*

Three of these new pupils were children of parents who were first cousins.

*Number of new pupils having deaf relations.*

|                             |   |  |   |
|-----------------------------|---|--|---|
| Have one deaf sister .....  | 5 | Has both parents deaf .....                                | 1 |
| Have one deaf brother ..... | 4 | Has one deaf uncle .....                                   | 1 |
| Have two deaf sister .....  | 1 | Has one deaf cousin .....                                  | 1 |
| Have one deaf aunt .....    | 2 | Has a deaf sister, a deaf<br>brother and two deaf cousins. | 1 |



*Statistical Tables.*

*Condition of deafness and ability of speech, in the seventy-two new pupils admitted during the biennial period ending September 30th, 1898.*

Forty-nine were etotally deaf.

Twenty-three were semi-deaf.

Eighteen had intelligible speech to a limited extent.

*Amount of previous instruction which the seventy-two new pupils had had before entering this school.*

Four pupils had been in the public schools; one pupil, one year; one pupil, 3 years; one pupil, 5 years; one pupil, 6 years.

Five pupils had been in the Milwaukee day school for the deaf, one, 1 year; one, 6 years; two, 8 years; one, 3 years.

One had been in the Appleton school, 2 years.

One had been in the La Crosse school 4 years.

One had been in the Minnesota school, 6 years.

One had been in a German school, 5 years.

*Age of pupils, number of years in attendance and classification of the school, September 30th, 1898.*

|    |                               | No. | 11 | 10 | 9 | 8  | 7  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2   | 1   |
|----|-------------------------------|-----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 10 | A. I. Hobart, oral.....       | 7   | 1  | 1  |   | 2  | 1  |    |    |    | 2  |     | 7.1 |
| 10 | J. S. Long.....               | 10  | 2  | 4  | 3 |    | 1  |    |    |    |    |     | 9.6 |
| 8  | W. A. Cochran.....            | 13  |    | 4  | 1 | 4  | 4  |    |    |    |    |     | 8.4 |
| 8  | W. F. Gray, oral.....         | 13  |    | 1  |   | 3  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 1  |    |     | 6.5 |
| 7  | W. Robinson.....              | 16  |    | 1  | 2 | 1  | 3  | 6  | 3  |    |    |     | 6.7 |
| 7  | E. M. Steinke, oral.....      | 9   |    |    |   |    |    | 4  | 3  | 2  |    |     | 5.2 |
| 5  | W. A. C. J. S. L. & W. R..... | 14  |    |    | 1 |    | 1  | 2  | 7  | 2  | 1  |     | 5.3 |
| 4  | E. B. Phoenix.....            | 11  |    |    |   |    |    | 1  | 4  | 4  | 1  | 1   | 4.3 |
| 4  | M. D. Fonner.....             | 10  |    |    |   |    |    |    | 1  | 1  | 6  | 2   | 3.  |
| 3  | I. C. Pearce, oral.....       | 11  |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | 11  | 2.  |
| 3  | T. Hagerty.....               | 17  |    |    |   |    |    |    | 3  | 8  | 3  | 3   | 3.6 |
| 2  | J. J. Murphy.....             | 16  |    |    |   |    |    |    | 1  |    | 2  | 8-5 | 2.  |
| 2  | S. W. Gregory.....            | 12  |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | 3-9 | 1.2 |
| 2  | F. Parry, oral.....           | 11  |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | 13  | 1.  |
| 1  | A. Steinke, oral.....         |     |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | 10  | 1.  |
| 1  | M. Long, oral.....            | 10  |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |     |     |
|    |                               | 193 | 3  | 11 | 7 | 10 | 12 | 16 | 25 | 18 | 15 | 30  | 46. |

Average of the whole school, 4.3.

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*Number of pupils in each department.*

|                             |     |                         |          |
|-----------------------------|-----|-------------------------|----------|
| Oral .....                  | 107 |                         |          |
| Writing and drawing .....   | 94  | Lillian Sorrenson ..... | Teacher. |
| Wood working .....          | 44  | E. J. Bending .....     | Teacher. |
| Casting and molding .....   | 8   |                         |          |
| Forging .....               | 8   |                         |          |
| Cabinet-making .....        | 14  | A. C. Bloodgood .....   | Teacher. |
| Shoemaking .....            | 24  | J. Beamsley .....       | Teacher. |
| Printing .....              | 16  | F. C. Larson .....      | Teacher. |
| Sewing and embroidery ..... | 60  | A. F. Struckmeyer ..... | Teacher. |
| Dressmaking .....           | 14  |                         |          |
| Cooking .....               | 6   |                         |          |
| Baking .....                | 1   | G. W. Kirk .....        | Teacher. |

## GRADUATES OF 1897.

## THE CLASS.

May Belle Etheridge, Wild Rose.

Milton Carlisle Goff, Stoughton.

Emma Grebel, Beaver Dam.

Hans Hanson, Keyeser.

Elizabeth E. Huhn, Racine..

Frank Landlin Harter, Milwaukee.

George William Horne, Whitewater.

Caroline Matilda Jacobson, Eau Claire.

Tracy John Jones, Darien.

Bertha Kuehn, Milwaukee..

Matthew Edgar Lawrence, La Crosse.

John Alexander Nicolls, Eau Claire.

Frederick Neesam, Fall River.

John Stephen O'Leary, Eau Claire.

George Parish, Milwaukee..

Velma Schumacher, Racine.

Alice Schumacher, Racine.

Albert L. Topping, Arnott.

Otto Yaeger, Merrill.

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*Statistical Tables.*


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## HONORABLY DISCHARGED IN 1897.

Alfred Landry ..... Woodville.  
 Christian Kohler ..... Milwaukee

## HONORABLY DISCHARGED IN 1898.

William Kopieski ..... Oshkosh.  
 Gustav Dorsch ..... Milwaukee.  
 August Heibner ..... Monroe.

## CLASS HONORS, 1897.

Fred Neesam ..... First.  
 Alice Schumacher ..... Second.

## TRADES.

|                    |   |                  |   |
|--------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Printers .....     | 8 | Carpenters ..... | 3 |
| Art students ..... | 4 | Shoemakers ..... | 2 |

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*New pupils admitted during the year ending Sept. 30th, 1897.*

| Name.                       | Age. | Town.                | County.      |
|-----------------------------|------|----------------------|--------------|
| 1 Eldora J. Adleman...      | 8    | Oakley .....         | Green.       |
| 2 Clara Anderson .....      | 8    | Colfax .....         | Dunn.        |
| 3 Ernest Blumer .....       | 8    | Delavan .....        | Walworth.    |
| 4 William Burmeister .....  | 16   | Sparta .....         | Monroe.      |
| 5 Gwendolin Brodarick ..... | 9    | Brodhead .....       | Green.       |
| 6 Leslie O. Barlow ....     | 8    | Omro .....           | Winnebago.   |
| 7 Floyd Bulmer .....        | 8    | Rock Elm .....       | Pierce.      |
| 8 May L. Busby .....        | 14   | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee.   |
| 9 Henry Coleman .....       | 11   | Wauwatosa .....      | Milwaukee.   |
| 10 Eva J. David .....       | 15   | Janesville .....     | Rock.        |
| 11 Carrie Fleming .....     | 7    | Jefferson .....      | Jefferson.   |
| 12 Lydia R. Garbish ....    | 8    | Granton .....        | Clark.       |
| 13 Robert Goldpaki ....     | 23   | Fond du Lac .....    | Fond du Lac. |
| 14 Emily M. Hirte .....     | 8    | Norwalk .....        | Monroe.      |
| 15 Milo Hodge .....         | 11   | Beloit .....         | Rock.        |
| 16 Walter Hoeckner ....     | 12   | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse.   |
| 17 Bernice Hopkins .....    | 7    | Attica .....         | Green.       |
| 18 John Holub .....         | 16   | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee.   |
| 19 Anna J. Johnson ....     | 16   | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse.   |
| 20 John Klamann .....       | 12   | Lena .....           | Oconto.      |
| 21 Emil K. Knutson ....     | 8    | Cushing .....        | Polk.        |
| 22 Charles J. Larsen ....   | 10   | Duerholm .....       | Polk.        |
| 23 Charles Martin .....     | 16   | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee.   |
| 24 Arsene Morneau ....      | 14   | Rice Lake .....      | Barron.      |
| 25 Raphael Motelet ....     | 12   | Avoca .....          | Iowa.        |
| 26 George Reimer .....      | 7    | Beloit .....         | Rock.        |
| 27 Ernest Rekow .....       | 23   | Pulaski .....        | Iowa.        |
| 28 Elizabeth Schoepski ..   | 13   | Sharon .....         | Walworth.    |
| 29 Gladys L. Sadders ..     | 5    | Delavan .....        | Walworth.    |
| 30 Lena Steinhilber ....    | 11   | Oshkosh .....        | Winnebago.   |
| 31 Frank Stewart .....      | 9    | Argyle .....         | Lafayette.   |
| 32 Allen J. Sprague ....    | 8    | Prairie du Sac ..... | Sauk.        |
| 33 Eunice R. Taylor ....    | 19   | La Grange .....      | Walworth.    |
| 34 Bertha Thiessen ....     | 9    | New Holstein .....   | Calumet.     |
| 35 Emma Wartzok .....       | 7    | Leland .....         | Sauk.        |
| 36 Belle Wartinbee ....     | 17   | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse.   |
| 37 Stephanie Wery .....     | 11   | Thiry Daems .....    | Kewaunee.    |
| 38 Addison R. White ....    | 8    | Riley .....          | Dane.        |

*Statistical Tables.**New pupils admitted during the year ending Sept. 30th, 1898.*

| Name.                       | Age. | Town.                | County.     |
|-----------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------|
| 1 Anderson, George H.       | 10   | Clinton .....        | Rock.       |
| 2 Bell, Myrtle .....        | 19   | Merrill .....        | Lincoln.    |
| 3 Boback, Mary .....        | 11   | Woodville .....      | St. Croix.  |
| 4 Boback, Annie .....       | 9    | Woodville .....      | St. Croix.  |
| 5 Blackman, Laura .....     | 12   | North Freedom .....  | Sauk.       |
| 6 Boryski, Heys .....       | 9    | Hurley .....         | Iron.       |
| 7 Brakka, Gerhard .....     | 8    | Primrose .....       | Dane.       |
| 8 Clobes, Louise .....      | 10   | River Falls .....    | Pierce.     |
| 9 Epstein, Jeremiah .....   | 12   | Berlin .....         | Green Lake. |
| 10 Erdahl, Earl .....       | 7    | Stoughton .....      | Dane.       |
| 11 Feldt, Charles .....     | 23   | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee.  |
| 12 Gersdorf, Anna .....     | 9    | Medford .....        | Taylor.     |
| 13 Gersdorf, Caroline ..... | 8    | Medford .....        | Taylor.     |
| 14 Hahner, George .....     | 17   | North Kaukauna ..... | Outagamie.  |
| 15 Hamre, Joseph A. ....    | 9    | Keyeser .....        | Columbia.   |
| 16 Johnson, Eric G. ....    | 11   | Homestead .....      | Florence.   |
| 17 Kabat, Francis .....     | 7    | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse.  |
| 18 Kuschel, Charles W. .... | 7    | Aniwa .....          | Shawano.    |
| 19 Linde, Harold .....      | 7    | Beaver Dam .....     | Dodge.      |
| 20 Maahs, Nona M. ....      | 7    | Appleton .....       | Outagamie.  |
| 21 Martin, Paul .....       | 15   | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee.  |
| 22 Miller, Guy .....        | 10   | Waupaca .....        | Waupaca.    |
| 23 Moreau, Marie .....      | 8    | Chippewa Falls ..... | Chippewa.   |
| 24 Mostedt, Annie .....     | 15   | Abbottsford. ....    | Clark.      |
| 25 Phillips, Etta .....     | 9    | Boyceville. ....     | Dunn.       |
| 26 Robinson, Evan E. ....   | 11   | Berlin .....         | Green Lake. |
| 27 Rockwood, Ruth B. ....   | 8    | Milton .....         | Rock.       |
| 28 Schaefer, Gustav .....   | 12   | Kewaskum .....       | Washington. |
| 29 Speich, Jacob .....      | 7    | Monroe .....         | Green.      |
| 30 Stryker, Maud .....      | 11   | Edgerton .....       | Rock.       |
| 31 Svacina, Edward .....    | 9    | Dobie .....          | Barron.     |
| 32 Wattering, John .....    | 12   | Krok .....           | Kewaunee.   |
| 33 Oldham, Jessie .....     | 8    | Day .....            | Clark.      |
| 34 Chapman, Willard .....   | 8    | Little Prairie ..... | Walworth.   |

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## FORTY-SEVENTH TERM, 1898 AND 1899.

*Session roll, September 30, 1898.*

| Name.                      | Town.                | County.          | Ad-<br>mitted. |
|----------------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Adleman, Clara .....       | Oakley .....         | Green .....      | 1891           |
| Adleman, Orville .....     | Oakley .....         | Green .....      | 1894           |
| Amondson, John .....       | Deer Park .....      | St. Croix .....  | 1892           |
| Anderson, Enga C. ....     | North Cape .....     | Racine .....     | 1893           |
| Anderson, Huldah .....     | Holmen .....         | La Crosse .....  | 1890           |
| Anderson, Matt A. ....     | Dallas .....         | Barron .....     | 1895           |
| Anderson, Clara .....      | Colfax .....         | Dunn .....       | 1897           |
| Anderson, George .....     | Clinton .....        | Rock .....       | 1898           |
| Baker, Clara .....         | Monterey .....       | Waukesha .....   | 1894           |
| Bessang, Joseph .....      | Eau Claire .....     | Eau Claire ..... | 1894           |
| Bell, Almon .....          | Madison .....        | Dane .....       | 1896           |
| Berholz, Henry .....       | Appleton .....       | Outagamie .....  | 1892           |
| Berndt, Alvina .....       | Allens Grove .....   | Walworth .....   | 1895           |
| Bone, Adolor .....         | Marinette .....      | Marinette .....  | 1894           |
| Brickley, Eliza .....      | New Richmond .....   | St. Croix .....  | 1893           |
| Brown, William .....       | River Falls .....    | Pierce .....     | 1894           |
| Broten, Laura .....        | Hudson .....         | St. Croix .....  | 1888           |
| Blackman, Laura .....      | North Freedom .....  | Sauk .....       | 1897           |
| Brake, Gerhard .....       | Primrose .....       | Dane .....       | 1898           |
| Boback, Mary .....         | Woodville .....      | St. Croix .....  | 1897           |
| Boback, Annie .....        | Woodville .....      | St. Croix .....  | 1897           |
| Boryske, Heys .....        | Hurley .....         | Iron .....       | 1898           |
| Blumer, Ernest .....       | East Dalavan .....   | Walworth .....   | 1897           |
| Bulmer, Floyd .....        | Rock Elm .....       | Pierce .....     | 1897           |
| Broderick, Gwen .....      | Brodhead .....       | Green .....      | 1896           |
| Barlow, Leslie .....       | Omro .....           | Winnebago .....  | 1897           |
| Busby, May .....           | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee .....  | 1896           |
| Burmeister, William ..     | Sparta .....         | Monroe .....     | 1896           |
| Cameron, Duncan .....      | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse .....  | 1891           |
| Carney, Julia .....        | Kenosha .....        | Kenosha .....    | 1888           |
| Childs, Clara .....        | Ellsworth .....      | Pierce .....     | 1889           |
| Christianson, Frederick .. | Hickory .....        | Oconto .....     | 1893           |
| Commers, Herbert .....     | Two Rivers .....     | Manitowoc .....  | 1894           |
| Czhopik, Peter .....       | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee .....  | 1891           |
| Chapman, Willard .....     | Little Prairie ..... | Walworth .....   | 1898           |
| Clobes, Louise .....       | River Falls .....    | Pierce .....     | 1898           |
| Decker, Ethel .....        | Clear Lake .....     | Polk .....       | 1895           |
| Diers, Carl .....          | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee .....  | 1896           |
| Dickson, Robert .....      | Waneka .....         | Dunn .....       | 1893           |

*Statistical Tables.**Session roll, September 30, 1898.—Continued.*

| Name.                    | Town.               | County.           | Ad-<br>mitted. |
|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Dieveney, Bridget .....  | New Richmond .....  | St. Croix .....   | 1894           |
| Doro, John .....         | Berlin .....        | Green Lake .....  | 1894           |
| Doyle, Ella B. ....      | Truman .....        | Lafayette .....   | 1889           |
| Dowe, Walter .....       | Horicon .....       | Dodge .....       | 1892           |
| Downey, Patrick .....    | Hollandale .....    | Iowa .....        | 1891           |
| Due, Frederika .....     | Racine .....        | Racine .....      | 1893           |
| Eckerson, Bertha .....   | Delavan .....       | Walworth .....    | 1887           |
| Emmons, Fred A .....     | Prescott .....      | Pierce .....      | 1896           |
| Erickson, Edward .....   | Niles .....         | Manitowoc .....   | 1890           |
| Erdahl, Clara .....      | Stoughton .....     | Dane .....        | 1896           |
| Errard, George .....     | Fond du Lac .....   | Fond du Lac ..... | 1893           |
| Epstein, Jere .....      | Berlin .....        | Green Lake .....  | 1898           |
| Erdahl, Earl .....       | Stoughton .....     | Dane .....        | 1898           |
| Fedkenheuer, William.    | Deerfield .....     | Dane .....        | 1890           |
| Fernquist, Eskil .....   | Commonwealth .....  | Florence .....    | 1896           |
| Fiske, Leon .....        | Delavan .....       | Walworth .....    | 1892           |
| Fleming, Gertrude .....  | Jefferson .....     | Jefferson .....   | 1889           |
| Foster, Ray B. ....      | Luck .....          | Polk .....        | 1896           |
| Feldt, Charles .....     | Milwaukee .....     | Milwaukee .....   | 1897           |
| Gilkey, George .....     | Oconto .....        | Oconto .....      | 1890           |
| Gillard, Adela M. ....   | Rest .....          | Vernon .....      | 1896           |
| Gosso, William .....     | Darien .....        | Walworth .....    | 1896           |
| Grimse, Roy .....        | Clinton .....       | Rock .....        | 1894           |
| Gross, George .....      | Rhineland .....     | Oneida .....      | 1896           |
| Goldpaki, Robert .....   | Fond du Lac .....   | Fond du Lac ..... | 1897           |
| Gersdorf, Annie .....    | Medford .....       | Taylor .....      | 1898           |
| Gersdorf, Caroline ..... | Medford .....       | Taylor .....      | 1898           |
| Hallada, Charles .....   | Ashland .....       | Ashland .....     | 1884           |
| Hanson, Helmer .....     | Spring Valley ..... | Pierce .....      | 1896           |
| Hamre, Carl .....        | Keyeser .....       | Columbia .....    | 1893           |
| Harter, Irvin .....      | Milwaukee .....     | Milwaukee .....   | 1896           |
| Heibner, Louisa .....    | Monroe .....        | Green .....       | 1888           |
| Helgeson, Haldora .....  | Tonnar .....        | Dunn .....        | 1895           |
| Herald, Clarence .....   | Oconto .....        | Oconto .....      | 1890           |
| Hermann, Elizabeth ..... | Tomahawk .....      | Lincoln .....     | 1896           |
| Herman, Oscar .....      | Sheboygan .....     | Sheboygan .....   | 1892           |
| Herrick, Arrill .....    | East Troy .....     | Walworth .....    | 1889           |
| Hamre, Joseph .....      | Keyeser .....       | Columbia .....    | 1898           |
| Hahner, George .....     | Nor. Kaukauna ..... | Outagamie .....   | 1898           |
| Hirte, Emily .....       | Norwalk .....       | Monroe .....      | 1897           |
| Haeckner, Walter .....   | La Crosse .....     | La Crosse .....   | 1897           |
| Higgins, Ray .....       | McDill .....        | Portage .....     | 1893           |
| Hopkins, Nettie .....    | Weyauwega .....     | Waupaca .....     | 1889           |
| Houghstad, Ole .....     | Glasgow .....       | Trempealeau ..... | 1894           |
| Hodge, Milo .....        | Beloit .....        | Rock .....        | 1897           |

*Wisconsin School for the Deaf.**Session roll, September 30, 1898 — Continued.*

| Name.                      | Town.                | County.           | Ad-<br>mitted. |
|----------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Hopkins, Bernice .....     | Attica .....         | Green .....       | 1897           |
| Irving, Thomas .....       | Kenosha .....        | Kenosha .....     | 1887           |
| Jacobs, Agnes .....        | Kenosha .....        | Kenosha .....     | 1887           |
| Jacobson, Caroline A. .... | Debello .....        | Vernon .....      | 1892           |
| Jagla, Fannie .....        | Antigo .....         | Langlade .....    | 1895           |
| Jerde, Malina .....        | Stoughton .....      | Dane .....        | 1890           |
| Johnson, Alba Lee .....    | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse .....   | 1892           |
| Johnson, Annie .....       | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse .....   | 1896           |
| Johnson, Eric .....        | Homestead .....      | Florence .....    | 1898           |
| Kidd, Curtis .....         | Bloom City .....     | Richland .....    | 1896           |
| Klein, Charles W. ....     | Waukesha .....       | Waukesha .....    | 1895           |
| Knutson, Carl .....        | Richardson .....     | Polk .....        | 1896           |
| Kuehn, Rudolph .....       | Dale .....           | Outagamie .....   | 1889           |
| Knutson, Emil .....        | Cushing .....        | Polk .....        | 1897           |
| Kabbat, Francis .....      | La Crosse .....      | La Crosse .....   | 1898           |
| Kuschel, Charles .....     | Aniwa .....          | Shawano .....     | 1898           |
| Landry, Nora .....         | Woodville .....      | St. Croix .....   | 1894           |
| Landry, Mable .....        | Woodville .....      | St. Croix .....   | 1895           |
| Lawrence, Gertie .....     | Janesville .....     | Rock .....        | 1896           |
| Long, Theresa .....        | Chippewa Falls ..... | Chippewa .....    | 1896           |
| Leubke, Oscar .....        | Two Rivers .....     | Manitowoc .....   | 1891           |
| Lyons, William .....       | Merrill .....        | Lincoln .....     | 1892           |
| Luken, Carl .....          | Blair .....          | Trempealeau ..... | 1895           |
| Larsen, Charles .....      | Duerholm .....       | Polk .....        | 1897           |
| Linde, Harold .....        | Beaver Dam .....     | Dodge .....       | 1898           |
| Marvin, Charles .....      | Eau Galle .....      | Dunn .....        | 1888           |
| Meehan, Arthur .....       | Darlington .....     | La Fayette .....  | 1888           |
| McChesney, Hallie .....    | Turtle Lake .....    | Barron .....      | 1887           |
| McGarry, Katie .....       | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee .....   | 1894           |
| Michel, Fannie .....       | Waupun .....         | Fond du Lac ..... | 1892           |
| Maahs, Nona .....          | Appleton .....       | Outagamie .....   | 1898           |
| Motelet, Raphael .....     | Avoca .....          | Iowa .....        | 1896           |
| Martin, Charles .....      | Milwaukee .....      | Milwaukee .....   | 1898           |
| Moreau, Marie .....        | Chippewa Falls ..... | Chippewa .....    | 1888           |
| Mostedt, Annie .....       | Abbotsford .....     | Clark .....       | 1897           |
| Miller, Guy .....          | Waupaca .....        | Waupaca .....     | 1898           |
| Mullen, Joseph .....       | Shullsburg .....     | Lafayette .....   | 1887           |
| Marks, Pearl .....         | Phillips .....       | Price .....       | 1895           |
| Negus, Ida .....           | Jefferson .....      | Jefferson .....   | 1890           |
| Nesting, Edward .....      | Coon Valley .....    | Vernon .....      | 1893           |
| Newell, Cora .....         | Eau Claire .....     | Eau Claire .....  | 1890           |
| Nimke, Matilda .....       | Berlin .....         | Green Lake .....  | 1889           |
| Northrup, Anna .....       | Platteville .....    | Grant .....       | 1891           |



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| Name.                   | Town.               | County.           | Ad-<br>mitted. |
|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Olson, Carl .....       | Eau Claire.....     | Eau Claire.....   | 1888           |
| Ostrander, Gertrude...  | Boscobel .....      | Grant .....       | 1894           |
| Otto, John .....        | Bingamton.....      | Outagamie .....   | 1895           |
| Paine, Jennie .....     | Brooklyn .....      | Green .....       | 1892           |
| Peterson, Katrine ..... | Luck .....          | Polk .....        | 1889           |
| Phillips, Silas .....   | Clintonville.....   | Clintonville..... | 1894           |
| Peterson, Jennie.....   | Grantsburg.....     | Burnett .....     | 1896           |
| Phillips, Etta.....     | Boyceville .....    | Dunn .....        | 1897           |
| Rasmus, Amelia.....     | Bloomer.....        | Chippewa .....    | 1892           |
| Rasmus, Herman.....     | Bloomer.....        | Chippewa .....    | 1896           |
| Rolfson, Elmer.....     | Waterford.....      | Racine .....      | 1893           |
| Rolfson, Emma.....      | Waterford.....      | Racine .....      | 1895           |
| Rolfson, Anna.....      | Waterford.....      | Racine .....      | 1896           |
| Ryan, Joseph.....       | Argyle .....        | Lafayette.....    | 1891           |
| Reimer, Albert.....     | Beloit .....        | Rock .....        | 1894           |
| Rhoembach, John.....    | Kilbourn .....      | Columbia .....    | 1894           |
| Russel, Frank.....      | British Hollow....  | Grant .....       | 1894           |
| Reimer, George.....     | Beloit .....        | Rock .....        | 1896           |
| Rekow, Ernest.....      | Avoca .....         | Iowa .....        | 1896           |
| Robinson, Evan.....     | Berlin .....        | Green Lake.....   | 1897           |
| Rockwood, Ruth.....     | Milton.....         | Rock .....        | 1898           |
| Schweiger, Minnie.....  | Jefferson .....     | Jefferson .....   | 1892           |
| Schaetzel, Minnie.....  | Waukesha.....       | Waukesha .....    | 1893           |
| Schoess, Lawrence.....  | Appleton.....       | Outagamie .....   | 1894           |
| Seagert, Amelia.....    | Wauzeka .....       | Crawford.....     | 1892           |
| Smith, Ferdinand.....   | Arcadia .....       | Trempealeau ..... | 1891           |
| Stiles, Mary.....       | Beloit .....        | Rock .....        | 1886           |
| Sutcliffe, Ralph.....   | Boyceville .....    | Dunn .....        | 1891           |
| Schoepski, Elizabeth..  | Sharon .....        | Walworth .....    | 1897           |
| Sprague, James.....     | Prairie du Sac..... | Sauk .....        | 1897           |
| Speich, Jacob.....      | Monroe.....         | Green .....       | 1898           |
| Snider, Ethel.....      | Neenah .....        | Winnebago .....   | 1893           |
| Scroggie, Jennette..... | River Falls.....    | Pierce .....      | 1896           |
| Scroggie, Grace.....    | River Falls.....    | Pierce .....      | 1896           |
| Sommars, Harvey.....    | Viola .....         | Richland.....     | 1896           |
| Sorenson, Olof.....     | Merrill.....        | Lincoln .....     | 1896           |
| Spears, Henry.....      | Stoddard.....       | Vernon .....      | 1895           |
| Sullivan, Dennis.....   | Janesville .....    | Rock .....        | 1893           |
| Sullivan, James.....    | Janesville .....    | Rock .....        | 1896           |
| Svacina, Edward.....    | Dobie .....         | Barron .....      | 1897           |
| Schaefer, Gustav.....   | Kewaskum .....      | Washington .....  | 1898           |
| Stryker, Maud.....      | Tibbits.....        | Walworth.....     | 1898           |
| Thompson, Josephine..   | Viroqua .....       | Vernon .....      | 1894           |
| Tousy, Isabel.....      | Gresham .....       | .....             | 1891           |
| Trudeau, Archibald ..   | Saxon .....         | Iron .....        | 1894           |
| Tyler, Edna .....       | Aztalan .....       | Jefferson .....   | 1894           |

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| Name.                   | Town.              | County.          | Ad-<br>mitted. |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Thelke, Emma .....      | Farmington .....   | Jefferson .....  | 1896           |
| Thiessen, Bertha .....  | New Holstein ..... | Calumet .....    | 1896           |
| Taylor, Eunice .....    | La Grange .....    | Walworth .....   | 1896           |
| Vergeront, Guy .....    | Elkhorn .....      | Walworth .....   | 1895           |
| Wartzok, Rosa .....     | Sauk City .....    | Sauk .....       | 1891           |
| Wells, Lester .....     | La Crosse .....    | La Crosse .....  | 1894           |
| Weishoefer, Amanda ..   | Milwaukee .....    | Milwaukee .....  | 1896           |
| Williams, Archibald ..  | Gresham .....      | Shawano .....    | 1893           |
| Williams, Mary .....    | Neenah .....       | Winnebago .....  | 1892           |
| Wilson, Mida M .....    | Racine .....       | Racine .....     | 1896           |
| Wood, Emery .....       | Marshall .....     | Dane .....       | 1887           |
| Wood, Daisy .....       | Liberty .....      | Vernon .....     | 1893           |
| Worman, Don .....       | De Soto .....      | Vernon .....     | 1895           |
| Woolhouse, John .....   | Cumberland .....   | Barron .....     | 1892           |
| Williams, Jennie .....  | Delavan .....      | Walworth .....   | 1895           |
| Willie, Otto .....      | Milwaukee .....    | Milwaukee .....  | 1895           |
| Wartzok, Emma .....     | Leland .....       | Sauk .....       | 1896           |
| Wartinbee, Belle .....  | La Crosse .....    | La Crosse .....  | 1897           |
| Wery, Stephanie .....   | Thiry-Daems .....  | Kewaunee .....   | 1897           |
| Wetering, John .....    | Krok .....         | Kewaunee .....   | 1898           |
| Yeager, Otto .....      | Merrill .....      | Lincoln .....    | 1886           |
| Zentis, Otis .....      | New Centerville .. | St. Croix .....  | 1891           |
| Zerving, Elizabeth .... | Milwaukee .....    | Milwaukee .....  | 1895           |
| Zuerst, Barbara .....   | Hartford .....     | Washington ..... | 1893           |

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## COUNTY REPRESENTATION.

*By actual attendance of pupils September 30, 1898.*

- Ashland — Charles Hallada, Ashland.
- Barron — Matt Anderson, Dallas; Hallie McChesney, Turtle Lake; Edward Svacina, Dobie; John Woolhouse, Cumberland.
- Burnett — Jennie Peterson, Grantsburg.
- Calumet — Bertha Thiessen, New Holstein.
- Chippewa — Theresa Long, Chippewa Falls; Marie Moreau, Chippewa Falls; Amelia Rasmus, Bloomer; Herman Rasmus, Bloomer.
- Clark — Annie Mostedt, Abbotsford.
- Columbia — Carl Hamre, Joseph Hamre, Keyeser; John Roembach, Kilbourn City.
- Crawford — Amelia Siegert, Wauzeka.
- Dane — Almon Bell, Madison; Gerhard Brakke, Primrose; Clara Erdahl, Earl Erdahl, Stoughton; William Fedkenheuer, Deerfield; Malina Jerdee, Stoughton; Emery Wood, Marshall.
- Dodge — Walter Dowe, Horicon; Harold Linde, Beaver Dam.
- ¶Dunn — Clara Anderson, Colfax; Robert Dickson, Waneka; Haldora Helgersen, Tonnar; Charles Marvin, Eau Galle; Etta Phillips, Boyceville; Ralph Sutcliffe, Boyceville; Carl Olson, Elk Mound.
- Eau Claire — Joseph Beisang, Eau Claire; Cora Newell, Eau Claire.
- Florence — Eskil Fernquist, Commonwealth; Eric Johnson, Homestead.
- Fond du Lac — George Errard, Fond du Lac; Robert Goldpaki, Fond du Lac; Fannie Michel, Waupun.
- Grant — Annie Northrop, Platteville; Gertrude Ostrander, Boscobel; Frank Russell, British Hollow.
- Green — Orville Adleman, Clara Adleman, Eldora Adleman, Oakley; Gwendolin Broderick, Brodhead; Louisa Heibner, Monroe; Bernice Hopkins, Attica; Jennie Paine, Brooklyn; Jacob Speich, Monroe.
- Green Lake — John Doro, Jere Epstein, Matilda Nimke, Evan Robinson, Berlin.
- Iowa — Patrick Downey, Hollandale; Raphael Motelet, Ernest Rekow, Avoca.
- Iron — Archie Trudeau, Saxon; Heys Boryski, Hurley.
- Jefferson — Gertrude Fleming, Carrie Fleming, Minnie Schweiger, Ida Negus, Jefferson; Edna Tyler, Aztalan; Emma Thelke, Farmington.}
- Kenosha — Thomas Irving, Julia Carney, Pleasant Prairie; Agnes Jacobs, Kenosha.

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Kewaunee — Stephanie Wery, Thiry-Daems; John Wattering, Krok.

La Crosse — Duncan Cameron, Walter Haeckner, Alba Lee Johnson, Annie Johnson, Francis Kabbat, Lester Wells, Belle Wartinbee, La Crosse.

Lafayette — Ella B. Doyle, Truman; Arthur Meehan, Darlington; Joseph Mullen, Shullsburg; Joseph Ryan, Argyle.

Langlade — Fannie Jagla, Antigo.

Lincoln — Elizabeth Hermann, Tomahawk; William Lyons, Ole Sorrenson, Merrill.

Manitowoc — Herbert Commers, Two Rivers; Edward Erickson, Niles; Oscar Leubke, Two Rivers.

Marinette — Adolor Bone, Marinette.

Milwaukee — May Busby, Peter Chopik, Carl Diers, Charles Feldt, Irvin Harter, Katherine McGarry, Charles Martin, Paul Martin, Amanda Wiesehofer, Otto Wille, Elizabeth Zerving, Milwaukee.

Monroe — William Burmeister, Sparta; Emily Hirte, Norwalk.

Oconto — Frederick Christianson, Hickory; George Gilkey, Oconto; Clarence Herald, Oconto.

Oneida — George Gross, Rhinelander.

Outagamie — Henry Berholz, Appleton; George Hahner, Kaukauna; Rudolph Kuehn, Dale; Nona Maahs, Appleton; John Otto, Binghampton; Lawrence Schoess, Appleton.

Pierce — Grace Scroggie, Jennette Scroggie, William Brown, Louise Clobes, River Falls; Floyd Bulmer, Rock Elm; Clara Childs, Ellsworth; Fred Emmons, Prescott; Helmer Hanson, Spring Valley.

Polk — Ethel Decker, Clear Lake; Ray B. Foster, Luck; Carl Knutson, Richardson; Emil Knutson, Cushing; Charles Larson, Duerholm; Katrine Peterson, Luck.

Portage — Ray Higgins, McDill.

Richland — Curtis Kidd, Bloom City.

Price — Pearl Marks, Phillips.

Richland — Harvey Sommars, Viola.

Rock — George Anderson, Roy Grimsee, Clinton; Milo Hodge, Beloit; Gertie Lawrence, Janesville; Albert Reimer, George Reimer, Mary Stiles, Beloit; Ruth Rockwood, Milton; James Sullivan, Dennie Sullivan, Janesville.

Racine — Enga Anderson, North Cape; Frederika Due, Racine; Elmer Rolfson, Emma Rolfson, Anna Rolfson, Waterford; Mida Wilson, Racine.

St. Croix — John Amondson, Deer Park; Eliza Brickley, Bridget Dieveney, New Richmond; Laura Broton, Hudson; Mary Boback, Annie Boback, Mabel Landry, Nora Landry, Woodville; Otis Zentzis, New Centerville.

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Sauk — Laura Blackman, North Freedom; James Sprague, Prairie du Sac; Rosa Wartzok, Emma Wartzok, Leland.

Shawano -- Adaline Heitzka, Wittenberg; Charles Kuschel, Anima; Archie Williams, Gresham; Isabel Tousey, Gresham.

Sheboygan — Oscar Hermann, Sheboygan.

Taylor — Anna Gersdorf, Caroline Gersdorf, Medford.

Trempealeau — Ole Hougstad, Glasgow; Carl Luken, Blair; Ferdinand Smith, Arcadia.

Vernon — Adela M. Gillardi, Rest; Caroline A. Jacobson, Debello; Edward N. Nesting, Coon Valley; Josephine Thompson, Viroqua; Daisy Wood, Liberty; Don Worman, De Soto; Henry Spears, Stoddard.

Walworth — Alvina Berndt, Allens Grove; Ernest Blumer, East Delavan; Willard Chapman, Little Prairie; Bertha Eckerson, Leon Fiske, Delavan; William Gosso, Darien; Arrill Herrick, East Troy; Elizabeth Schoep-ski, Sharon; Maud Stryker, Tibbits; Eunice Taylor, La Grange; Jennie Williams, Delavan; Guy Vergeront, Elkhorn.

Washington — Gustav Schaefer, Kewaskum; Barbara Zuerst, Hartford.

Waukesha --- Clara Baker, Monterey; Charles W. Klein, Minnie Schaetzel, Waukesha.

Waupaca — Nettie Hopkins, Weyauwega; Guy Miller, Waupaca; Silas Phillips, Clintonville.

Winnebago — Leslie Barlow, Omro; Ethel Snider, Neenah; Mary Williams, Neenah.

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TABLE No. 10.

*Annual admissions and annual attendance.*

Number present Sept. 30th of each year.

| Year.     | Sept.<br>30. | New<br>pupils. | Total. | Year.     | Sept.<br>30. | New<br>pupils. | Total. |
|-----------|--------------|----------------|--------|-----------|--------------|----------------|--------|
| 1852..... |              | 8              | 8      | 1876..... | 150          | 35             | 191    |
| 1853..... |              | 6              | 14     | 1877..... | 141          | 21             | 182    |
| 1854..... |              | 18             | 31     | 1878..... | 128          | 39             | 180    |
| 1855..... |              | 5              | 34     | 1879..... | 122          | 30             | 183    |
| 1856..... |              | 15             | 49     | 1880..... | 156          | 33             | 195    |
| 1857..... |              | 12             | 56     | 1881..... | .....        | 6              | 179    |
| 1858..... |              | 14             | 31     | 1882..... | 182          | 76             | 244    |
| 1859..... |              | 16             | 73     | 1883..... | 203          | 39             | 235    |
| 1860..... |              | 13             | 74     | 1884..... | 200          | 28             | 242    |
| 1861..... |              | 10             | 75     | 1885..... | 190          | 41             | 231    |
| 1862..... |              | 14             | 69     | 1886..... | 190          | 46             | 236    |
| 1863..... |              | 21             | 89     | 1887..... | 202          | 54             | 244    |
| 1864..... |              | .....          | 80     | 1888..... | 192          | 34             | 226    |
| 1865..... |              | 21             | 91     | 1889..... | 173          | 50             | 223    |
| 1866..... |              | 18             | 104    | 1890..... | 174          | 36             | 210    |
| 1867..... |              | 15             | 108    | 1891..... | 169          | 38             | 207    |
| 1868..... |              | 8              | 95     | 1892..... | 165          | 45             | 210    |
| 1869..... |              | 17             | 112    | 1893..... | 176          | 55             | 231    |
| 1870..... |              | 44             | 144    | 1894..... | 188          | 49             | 237    |
| 1871..... |              | 23             | 149    | 1895..... | 180          | 49             | 229    |
| 1872..... | 142          | 10             | 164    | 1896..... | 179          | 38             | 217    |
| 1873..... | 146          | 32             | 176    | 1897..... | 191          | 34             | 225    |
| 1874..... | 141          | 20             | 176    | 1898..... | 193          | .....          | .....  |
| 1875..... | 135          | 35             | 181    |           |              |                |        |

*Statistical Tables.*

## LECTURE COURSE — 1898-9.

| Subject.                           | Name.                | Date.     |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
| Gladstone and Bismarck .....       | J. W. Swiler .....   | Nov. 18.  |
| Famous Explorers .....             | W. A. Cochrane ..... | Dec. 2.   |
| A Summer in the North-west .....   | J. S. Long .....     | Dec. 16.  |
| Diseases and Their Causes .....    | J. J. Murphy .....   | Jan. 13.  |
| Popular Superstitions .....        | W. Robinson .....    | Feb. 10.  |
| The Pennsylvania Coal Fields ..... | W. F. Gray .....     | March 10. |
| Commercial Advantage .....         | Thos. Hagerty ..     | April 21. |
| On the Use of Books .....          | S. W. Gregory .....  | April 7.  |

SUBJECTS FOR TEACHERS' MEETINGS DURING THE TERM  
OF 1898 AND 1899.

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Observations in the Schools of Germany ..... | October 28th.  |
| Illustrated Drawing in School .....          | November 25th. |
| Types of Pupils and Their Treatment .....    | December 30th. |
| The Sunday Lesson .....                      | January 27th.  |
| School Room Devices .....                    | February 24th. |
| The Kindergarten .....                       | March 31st.    |
| Books and Helps for Oral Teaching .....      | April 28th.    |
| The Use of Text Books .....                  | May 26th.      |

## SUPERVISION.

Matron, Asst. Matron and Usher in charge of girls out of school.

Boys' Supervisor, Asst. and Nurse in charge of boys out of school.

Gentlemen teachers are on duty in study rooms, during successive weeks, beginning Thursday, Sept. 10, as follows: Every evening except Saturday evening from 7:30 to 8:30, with Sunday evening lectures to lower study in the following order: W. A. Cochrane, Warren Robinson, W. F. Gray, J. S. Long, S. W. Gregory, Thomas Hagerty, J. J. Murphy.

Morning Chapel at 7:50 and Sunday lectures at 9:00 a. m. on alternate Sundays, in same order as above.

Lady teachers, resident in the school, on duty in girls' study room every evening, except Saturday evening, from 7:00 to 8:00 p. m. in the following order: A. I. Hobart, I. C. Pearce, A. Steinke, L. Sorrenson.

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Lady teachers also alternate with Matron, and Asst. Matron in taking charge of the girls from 10:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m. Sundays.

Teachers—gentlemen and ladies—are also on duty in schoolhouse at recess during week of supervision.

Teachers are required to enter the school house before their pupils and to leave the school house after them.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

|   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| Rise.....   | 6:00 a. m.                 |
| Breakfast — pupils and employes.....                  | 6:30 a. m.                 |
| Breakfast — officers and teachers.....                | 7:00 a. m.                 |
| Chapel.....   | 7:50 a. m.                 |
| School — 1st and 3d Work Divisions — 2d Division..... | 8:00 a. m.                 |
| Recess.....   | 10:45 to 11:00 a. m.       |
| Noon .....  | 12:00 m.                   |
| Dinner.....   | 12:00 m.                   |
| Industries.....                                       | 1:00 to 4:30 p. m.         |
| School — 2d division.....                             | 1:00 to 4:30 p. m.         |
| School — 3d division.....                             | 1:00 to 3:00 p. m.         |
| Industries — 3d division.....                         | 3:00 to 4:30 p. m.         |
| Recreation — all.....                                 | 4:30 to 6:00 p. m.         |
| Supper.....   | 6:00 p. m.                 |
| Evening study.....                                    | 7:00 to 8:30 to 9:00 p. m. |
| Pupils retire.....                                    | 9:00 p. m.                 |
| All others retire.....                                | 10:00 p. m.                |
| Lights out.....                                       | 10:15 p. m.                |

*Saturday.*

|                 |                        |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| Industries..... | 7:30 to 10:30 a. m.    |
| Bathing.....    | 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 m. |
| Dinner.....     | 12:00 m.               |

*Sunday.*

|                    |                            |
|--------------------|----------------------------|
| Lecture.....       | 9:00 a. m.                 |
| Study hour.....    | 11:00 a. m. to 12:00 m.    |
| Dinner.....        | 12:30 p. m.                |
| Sunday-school..... | 2:30 p. m.                 |
| Supper.....        | 5:30 p. m.                 |
| Retire.....        | 7:00 to 8:00 to 9:00 p. m. |



## Statistical Tables.

1898. BILL OF FARE AT THE WISCONSIN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

|            | SUNDAY.   | MONDAY.   | TUESDAY.  | WEDNESDAY.   | THURSDAY.  | FRIDAY.  | SATURDAY.   |
|------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|---|
| Breakfast. | Sausage.....<br>Stewed potatoes.<br>Coffee.....<br>Bread.....<br>Butter.....<br>Butter.....<br>Syrup.....<br>Syrup..... | Steak and gravy.<br>Fried potatoes..<br>Bread.....<br>Butter.....<br>Syrup.....<br>Coffee.....<br>Coffee..... | Hash.....<br>Bread.....<br>Butter.....<br>Syrup.....<br>Coffee..... | Steak or eggs....<br>Potatoes.....<br>Bread.....<br>Butter.....<br>Syrup.....<br>Coffee..... | Sausage.....<br>Stewed potatoes.<br>Bread.....<br>Butter.....<br>Syrup.....<br>Coffee..... | Hash.....<br>Oat meal.....<br>Bread.....<br>Butter.....<br>Coffee.....<br>Syrup..... | Steak.<br>Potatoes.<br>Bread.<br>Butter.<br>Syrup.<br>Coffee. |
| Dinner.    | Oyster soup or<br>cold meats.....<br>Baked potatoes..<br>Pickles.....<br>Pie.....<br>Tea.....                           | Roast beef.....<br>Boiled potatoes..<br>Beets or turnips.<br>Sauce.....<br>Gravy.....                         | Pork and beans..<br>Potatoes.....<br>Pickles.....<br>.....<br>..... | Broiled beef.....<br>Turnips or onions<br>Gravy.....<br>Pie.....<br>.....                    | Roast veal or<br>roast beef.....<br>Potatoes.....<br>Corn bread.....<br>Gravy.....         | Fish-steak or<br>eggs.....<br>Potatoes.....<br>Pudding.....<br>.....<br>.....        | Pork and beans.<br>Potatoes.<br>Cabbage.<br>Pickles.          |
| Supper.    | Loaf cake.....<br>Apples.....<br>.....  | Rolls.....<br>Stewed fruit.....<br>.....  | Graham rolls.....<br>Crackers.....<br>Cheese.....                   | Oat meal.....<br>Apple sauce.....<br>.....   | Ginger bread.....<br>Apple sauce.....<br>.....   | Fried bread.....<br>Baked potatoes..<br>Rolls.....                                   | Bologna or dried<br>beef.<br>Cookies.<br>Fruit.               |

Bread, butter and syrup at every dinner.

Bread and milk, butter and syrup at every supper.

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### AN HISTORICAL SKETCH OF THE WISCONSIN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

Wisconsin, which was set off as a territory in 1836, had public schools established the same year; in twelve years she became a state; and advanced other educational movements, so that in 1852 the legislature made an appropriation for a school for the deaf.

Delavan was chosen as the place for the school, because there were several deaf children in its vicinity, whose friends made persistent effort for the establishment of a school. It is related that an effort was made to interest the people of Elkhorn in the project of a school for the deaf, but without success. The location of this school at Delavan, at that early day, was considered a triumph of the better sort and was not secured without considerable effort, as it was a period full of schemes for public improvements.

Hon. Henderson Hunt was president of the first board of trustees; Wyman Spooner was treasurer, F. K. Phoenix, secretary, and J. R. Bradway, a Delavan man who is still living in Iowa, was the first principal of the school.

Prior to this a small class of deaf children had been taught at the home of Ebenezer Cheesbro, two miles west of Delavan, his daughter, Ariadne, and James Dudley of Delevan, being members of the first class.

Although the school for the deaf is not a Walworth county institution, it is located in Walworth county and three of the eight pupils in the first class were from this county, while four — Betsy, Charles, Abram and Helen Hewes — were from Eagle and one from Rock county. The second year of the school, four pupils were from Walworth, six from Waukesha, two from Racine, and one each from Rock and Green counties.

As an evidence of the activity of Walworth county people in schools it is seen that in 1850, when there were but 100,000

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school children in the state, with an average attendance of 67 per cent. Walworth county had 91 per cent. of her children in school. At first the school was controlled by a board of nine members, at one time seven of them were from Walworth county and six of the number from Delavan. Afterwards when the board was reduced to five members, three of them, Hollis Latham, A. H. Barnes and C. D. Long, were from Walworth, H. L. Blood was from Outagamie, and Dr. A. L. Chapin was from Rock county. The school continued, as it begun, under a local board till 1881, when all local boards were removed from office by act of the legislature and a state board of five members was appointed for all the institutions. The members of the last local board were E. D. Holton, D. G. Cheever, S. Rees La Bar, Hollis Latham and Albert Salisbury. They were succeeded by the state board of supervision: Charles Luling of Manitowoc, Lewis A. Proctor of Milwaukee, George W. Burchard, of Fort Atkinson, Charles D. Parker of River Falls, and James Bintliff of Darlington. This board remained in office ten years, from 1881 to 1891. They were followed by the board of control, which took charge pursuant to a change in the political organization of the state government, after Governor Geo. W. Peck's election. The members of this board were J. L. Cleary of Kenosha, Clarence Snyder of Ashland, J. E. Jones of Portage, J. W. Oliver of Waupun, C. D. Parker of River Falls and W. H. Graebner of Milwaukee. Four years after this, in the spring of 1895, the present board was appointed and took charge of the institutions of the state, April 15, with Hans B. Warner, Pres., J. E. Heg, Richard Guenther, Lemuel Ellsworth and Clarence Snyder members. Most of the men who have served the state as trustees of her state institutions have passed away; and, in recent years two of them, Hon. Charles Luling and Hans B. Warner, died in office.

The membership of the present board is Prest. Richard Guenther, Oshkosh; Vice-Pres. Wm. Penn Lyon, Madison; E. R.

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Petherick, Milwaukee; George W. Bishop, Rhinelander, and N. B. Treat, Monroe.

The school for the deaf owes much of its prosperity and success to the generous, noble-minded men who have served it as trustees; many of them had large business interests of their own, which they left for the public service, others stood in the front rank of the state's most distinguished men; all were busy men, who freely gave not only advice and assistance; but also that kindly sympathy and just appreciation of fidelity and perseverance, which, in many cases, is worth more than money.

Prior to 1880, during a period of twenty-eight years, the school had nine principals, since that time the present superintendent has been in charge. The first principal was Dr. J. R. Bradway of Delavan, who remained in office less than a year, and then resigned for the purpose of moving to Iowa where he has since lived. He was succeeded by Rev. Lucius Foote, also a Delavan man, who was principal but a short time. Next Prof. H. N. Hubbell, the experienced superintendent of the Ohio institution for the deaf, came to Delavan to take charge of the school, but did not remain, giving place to Prof. Louis H. Jenkins, who was the first principal that made a distinct mark upon the history of the school. He was a man of affairs, who saw the school established in buildings of its own on the present site, January, 1854. An appropriation of \$9,000 was secured; \$7,000 for buildings, and \$2,000 for support; but the favorable prospects of the school were soon clouded by the fact that although appropriations had been made there was no money in the state treasury to pay them, and the funds were not available. Nothing daunted, however, the trustees soon raised adequate funds on their own personal credit and the work of the school went on. The first building, on "Phoenix Green," so called in honor of Mr. Frank Phoenix, of Delavan, the donor of a portion of the site of the school, was a small two story brick house, 32x44 feet; before its occupation the

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school had been held in a small house, which stood in the rear of the present post office in Delavan.

The beginning of Prof. Jenkins' administration was marked by the installation of the school, in comfortable buildings on its present site; and the end was made notable by a persistent effort to move the school to Madison. The result of this effort was that, as the school could not be moved the trustees moved the principal, in 1856.

J. S. Officer, of Illinois, was the next man to take charge of the school; he remained nine years, until his death in February, 1865, and his management of the school was eminently successful. He was distinguished as a thorough teacher, a gentleman and a scholar, who held the affairs of the school well in hand and carried its work near his heart. In the early days of the school it may be noted that the teachers were all men. Mr. Officer was the first principal to employ a woman as teacher; and his first selection was Miss Emily Eddy, who taught for thirty-seven consecutive years, from 1857 to 1894, and was one of the first teachers of the deaf to give instruction in articulation in a Western school.

After the death of Mr. Officer, the board employed Dr. H. W. Milligan, of the Philadelphia institution, a scholarly gentleman, of experience, under whose care the school grew and prospered for three years; when he resigned to undertake the instruction of the deaf in Illinois.

Edward C. Stone, of Hartford, Conn., succeeded Dr. Milligan, in 1868, and left in 1871 to accept control of the American School for the Deaf at Hartford, Conn., after the death of his father, who had been principal of the American school for many years. His withdrawal, like that of Dr. Milligan, was a great loss to the school, on account of personal worth and the impression which his high character had made.

The next principal was George L. Weed, who came from Ohio, in 1871, and remained four years. He was a genial man and

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a good teacher; but, failing to receive that co-operation and support, which his assistants should have given, the discipline of the school became impaired, and he resigned. He was succeeded by Dr. Wm. H. DeMotte, of Jacksonville, Illinois, who contributed five years, 1875 to 1880, to the work of the school, and in so doing won many compliments on the scholarship during his term; but, unfortunately some of the undisciplined elements of discord, of the former administration, remained, again causing disorder until they were removed; pursuant to an investigation in 1878. About this time and for several years afterwards the reputation of the school suffered in public estimation; and so sensitive is public opinion, in relation to its state institutions, that years elapsed before its standing was entirely restored.

From 1857 to 1867 there were few changes in the school, except as it grew in size and usefulness; in 1857 the number of pupils was fifty-seven, in 1867 it was eighty-five; in 1877 one-hundred and eighty and in 1887, two hundred and forty-four. Since that time the size of the school has remained about the same, its growth being checked by the growth of day schools for the deaf, which have been opened in many of the towns and cities of the state. Day schools undertake to teach deaf children near their homes, at an early age before the habit of silence is formed; this modifies the state system of the instruction of the deaf in providing primary instruction for some at or near home, and more advanced training at this school.

The opening of the school, September, 1879, was marked by a destructive fire; but the school was continued in temporary buildings during the year, and notwithstanding a persistent effort to remove the school to some other part of the state, the beauty and healthfulness of the present site secured its retention; and in 1880 the present buildings were erected under the personal supervision of Hon. S. Rees La Bar, the efficient secretary of the board.

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The year 1880, with a new superintendent and new buildings, marked the beginning of a new era of great prosperity in the history of the school; the attendance was largely increased, the printing office secured a better equipment and commenced the publication of a regular weekly paper, the Wisconsin Times, and a systematic course of study was adopted with regular instruction in writing and drawing, and an enlargement of the oral work, which has since extended till it embraces more than half of the pupils in the school. In 1881 another important change took place in the management of the school, which then passed from the direction of a local board to that of the state board of supervision. With the new administration came new ideas, new buildings, a new engine and laundry, a refrigerator, a cottage for small boys, a gymnasium, and finally the manual training building, which was completed in 1896. With recent improvements the school has one of the best equipments in the state for educational purposes. The old buildings have been kept in repair, in great measure, by the work of deaf boys from the carpenter shop, so that they present few marks of age or decay.

In recent years important advances have been made in the art of speech teaching and lip-reading, which is now brought within reach of all deaf children who have the ability and the disposition to learn. Many of them acquire such proficiency in the use of voice that they are readily understood by relatives and friends, and are able to engage in conversation with others without using pencil or signs. Better methods of teaching free-hand and mechanical drawing are producing fine results. New foreman, with new tools and machinery, in the industries lend additional interest to the work of pupils and impart increased efficiency to that most important branch of instruction, which transforms deaf boys and girls into self-supporting men and women.

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**MEMBERS OF BOARDS OF TRUSTEES OF THE WISCONSIN  
SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, 1852 to 1898.**

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| H. Hunt.....            | 1852 to 1858 |
| Wyman Spooner.....      | 1852 1853    |
| F. K. Phoenix.....      | 1852 1854    |
| E. Cheesbro .....       | 1852 1854    |
| W. C. Allen.....        | { 1852 1862  |
|                         | { 1863 1871  |
| G. G. Williams.....     | 1852 1854    |
| J. A. Maxwell.....      | 1852 1854    |
| J. C. Mills .....       | 1852 1856    |
| Rev. P. W. Lake.....    | 1852 1856    |
| Salmon Thomas.....      | { 1853 1858  |
|                         | { 1862 1871  |
| O. W. Blanchard.....    | 1854 1857    |
| N. M. Harrington.....   | 1854 1870    |
| C. Betts.....           | 1854 1865    |
| J. D. Monell, Jr.....   | 1854 1858    |
| Harrison Reed.....      | 1856 1858    |
| Moses M. Strong.....    | 1856 1858    |
| Joseph Baker.....       | 1857 1858    |
| Willard Isham .....     | { 1857 1869  |
|                         | { 1875 1876  |
| E. P. Conrick .....     | 1858 1861    |
| Samuel Collins.....     | 1858 1860    |
| C. Miller.....          | 1858 1861    |
| Hollis Latham .....     | { 1858 1881  |
|                         | { 23 years.  |
| Timothy Mower.....      | 1858 1863    |
| Martin Field.....       | 1858 1862    |
| C. D. Long.....         | 1860 1872    |
| A. H. Barnes.....       | 1861 1873    |
| Thomas M. Martin.....   | 1862 1865    |
| A. L. Chapin, D. D..... | 1865 1880    |
| H. L. Blood.....        | 1865 1876    |
| J. B. Whiting.....      | 1869 1871    |
| W. D. Bacon.....        | 1869 1871    |
| James Aram.....         | 1872 1875    |
| Edward D. Holton.....   | { 1873 1874  |
|                         | { 1878 1881  |
| John E. Thomas.....     | 1874 1877    |
| Joseph Hamilton.....    | 1875 1878    |
| S. Rees La Bar.....     | 1876 1881    |
| D. G. Cheever.....      | 1877 1881    |
| Albert Salisbury.....   | 1880 1881    |
| Charles Luling.....     | 1881 1892    |
| Charles D. Parker.....  | { 1881 1889  |
|                         | { 1891 1895  |
| George W. Burchard..... | 1881 1885    |
| James Bintliff.....     | 1881 1888    |
| Lewis A. Proctor.....   | 1881 1891    |
| Nicholas Smith.....     | 1885 1891    |
| W. T. Parry.....        | 1888 1891    |



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|-----------------------|------|------|
| W. C. Gilbert.....    | 1889 | 1891 |
| Wm. H. Graebner.....  | 1891 | 1895 |
| Clarence Snyder.....  | 1891 | 1897 |
| J. E. Jones.....      | 1891 | 1895 |
| J. L. Cleary.....     | 1891 | 1895 |
| J. W. Oliver.....     | 1891 | 1895 |
| Hans B. Warner.....   | 1895 | 1896 |
| Richard Guenther..... | 1895 | .... |
| James E. Heg.....     | 1895 | 1898 |
| Lemuel Ellsworth..... | 1895 | 1897 |
| Wm. Penn Lyon.....    | 1896 | .... |
| George W. Bishop..... | 1897 | .... |
| E. R. Petherick.....  | 1897 | .... |
| N. B. Treat.....      | 1898 | .... |

The following persons have been resident officers of the school for the periods of time indicated by the double rows of figures:

*Principals.*

|                         |              |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| J. R. Bradway.....      | 1852 to 1853 |
| Horatio N. Hubbell..... | 1853 1854    |
| Louis J. Jenkins.....   | 1854 1856    |

*Principals and Stewards.*

|                       |              |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| J. Scott Officer..... | 1856 to 1865 |
| W. H. Milligan.....   | 1865 1868    |
| Edward C. Stone.....  | 1868 1871    |
| George L. Weed.....   | 1871 1875    |
| Wm. H. DeMotte.....   | 1875 1880    |

*Superintendent and Steward.*

|                     |              |
|---------------------|--------------|
| John W. Swiler..... | 1880 to 1898 |
|---------------------|--------------|

*Stewards.*

|                     |              |
|---------------------|--------------|
| A. J. Woodbury..... | 1875 to 1878 |
| R. A. Gates.....    | 1881 1884    |

*Clerks.*

|                         |              |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Sam. M. Parish.....     | 1860 to 1870 |
| A. J. Woodbury.....     | 1870 1875    |
| R. A. Gates.....        | 1878 1881    |
| Ed. D. Fiske.....       | 1884 1892    |
| Charles M. Tallman..... | 1892 1895    |
| Harry G. Hambright..... | 1895 1898    |

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*Matrons.*

|                              |         |      |
|------------------------------|---------|------|
| Mrs. Adelia F. Jenkins ..... | 1853 to | 1856 |
| Mrs. M. Marshall .....       | 1856    | 1857 |
| Mrs. Orpha S. Taylor .....   | 1857    | 1861 |
| Mrs. L. Eddy .....           | 1861    | 1862 |
| Miss M. J. Adams .....       | 1862    | 1869 |
| Miss Alice F. Cornell .....  | 1869    | 1871 |
| Mrs. Luther A. Hill .....    | 1871    | 1876 |
| Mrs. W. H. Bishop .....      | 1876    | 1877 |
| Mrs. A. Broadrup .....       | 1877    | 1880 |
| Mrs. Julia A. Taylor .....   | 1880    | 1884 |
| Mrs. H. C. Swiler .....      | 1884    | 1885 |
| Miss S. D. Gibson .....      | { 1885  | 1891 |
|                              | { 1895  | 1898 |
| Mrs. M. H. Schilling .....   | 1891    | 1893 |
| Mrs. S. M. Montgomery .....  | 1893    | 1895 |

*Assistant Matrons.*

|                             |           |      |
|-----------------------------|-----------|------|
| Mrs. J. A. Mills .....      | { 1860 to | 1862 |
|                             | { 1863    | 1866 |
| Miss Flora C. Virgil .....  | 1862      | 1863 |
| Mrs. H. O. Armstrong .....  | 1866      | 1868 |
| Miss M. J. Sturtevant ..... | 1868      | 1870 |
| Miss E. E. Boyce .....      | 1870      | 1872 |
| Miss Ruth Sturtevant .....  | 1878      | 1882 |
| Miss Alice E. Turley .....  | 1882      | 1883 |
| Miss Adaline Briggs .....   | 1883      | 1884 |
| Miss Anne M. Gray .....     | 1885      | 1887 |
| Mrs. Ellen McLean .....     | 1887      | 1890 |
| Miss Tillie Cannan .....    | 1890      | 1898 |

*Engineers.*

|                      |         |      |
|----------------------|---------|------|
| D. T. Gifford .....  | 1870 to | 1877 |
| John Ronk .....      | 1877    | 1883 |
| Perce Martin .....   | 1892    | 1896 |
| W. M. Stillman ..... | { 1883  | 1892 |
|                      | { 1896  | 1898 |

*Physicians.*

|                        |         |      |
|------------------------|---------|------|
| H. Hunt .....          | 1852 to | 1854 |
| O. W. Blanchard .....  | 1854    | 1857 |
| Cyrus Sayles .....     | 1857    | 1858 |
| George H. Briggs ..... | { 1858  | 1862 |
|                        | { 1863  | 1867 |
|                        | { 1862  | 1863 |
| J. B. Hemingway .....  | { 1868  | 1870 |
|                        | { 1876  | 1878 |
|                        | { 1882  | 1896 |
| H. W. Milligan .....   | 1867    | 1868 |
| D. B. Devendorf .....  | 1870    | 1876 |
| H. D. Bullard .....    | 1878    | 1882 |
| C. C. Blanchard .....  | 1896    | 1898 |

*Historical.**Teachers.*

|                              |              |
|------------------------------|--------------|
| John A. Mills .....          | 1852 to 1855 |
| Hiram Phillips .....         | { 1854 1878  |
| Zachariah McCoy .....        | { 1881 1882  |
| John A. McWhorter .....      | { 1855 1883  |
| Lucius Eddy .....            | { 1856 1870  |
|                              | { 1859 1868  |
|                              | { 1870 1874  |
|                              | { 1867 1871  |
| W. A. Cochrane .....         | { 1875 1892  |
|                              | { 1895 1898  |
| Geo. F. Schilling .....      | { 1868 1883  |
| Ezra G. Valentine .....      | { 1869 1873  |
| J. Northrop .....            | { 1870 1871  |
| C. L. Williams .....         | { 1871 1877  |
| Mary Johnson .....           | { 1871 1874  |
| Philip L. Engelhardt .....   | { 1872 1873  |
| Mary E. Smith .....          | { 1873 1883  |
| Thomas Clithero .....        | { 1874 1875  |
| Imogene Tilden .....         | { 1876 1878  |
| Isabelle Kimball .....       | { 1877 1878  |
|                              | { 1881 1882  |
|                              | { 1878 1883  |
| Rosetta Ritscher .....       | { 1884 1886  |
| W. J. Fuller .....           | { 1878 1883  |
| Mary H. Hunter .....         | { 1879 1892  |
| Kate DeMotte .....           | { 1879 1881  |
| Helen E. Briggs .....        | { 1882 1884  |
| Alice E. Turley .....        | { 1883 1887  |
| Clara E. Waite .....         | { 1883 1884  |
| A. I. Farrant .....          | { 1883 1884  |
| James L. Smith .....         | { 1883 1884  |
| Edward E. Clippinger .....   | { 1883 1885  |
|                              | { 1892 1895  |
| Harry Reed .....             | { 1883 1886  |
| Mary E. Griffin .....        | { 1884 1885  |
| Mary Jameson .....           | { 1884 1887  |
| Alice Christie .....         | { 1885 1888  |
| B. T. Bensted .....          | { 1885 1892  |
| Anne M. Gray .....           | { 1887 1891  |
| Eva L. Cutler .....          | { 1887 1892  |
| Mary H. Schilling .....      | { 1888 1889  |
| Emily Eddy .....             | { 1857 1894  |
| Eleanor G. McCoy .....       | { 1874 1895  |
| Jene Bowman .....            | { 1892 1893  |
|                              | { 1884 1885  |
| Almira I. Hobart .....       | { 1886 1898  |
|                              | { 1887 1894  |
| Elsie M. Steinke .....       | { 1895 1896  |
| Warren Robinson .....        | { 1884 1898  |
| J. J. Murphy .....           | { 1884 1890  |
|                              | { 1892 1898  |
|                              | { 1884 1891  |
| E. G. Bright (Phoenix) ..... | { 1892 1898  |
| W. F. Gray .....             | { 1887 1898  |

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## Teachers — Continued.

|   |        |      |
|---|--------|------|
| Iva C. Pearce .....                       | 1888   | 1898 |
| Thomas Hagerty .....                      | 1891   | 1898 |
| Agnes Steinke .....                       | { 1891 | 1897 |
|   | { 1898 |      |
| J. S. Long .....                          | 1889   | 1898 |
| E. F. Long .....                          | 1891   | 1898 |
| M. Long .....                             |        | 1898 |
| Florence Parry .....                      | 1896   | 1898 |
| M. D. Fonner .....                        | 1896   | 1898 |
| Lillian Sorrenson .....                   | 1892   | 1898 |
| M. J. Stephenson .....                    | 1894   | 1898 |
| Clara J. Maklem .....                     | 1894   | 1896 |
| Seth W. Gregory .....                     | 1894   | 1898 |
| E. J. Bending (Manual Training) .....     | 1896   | 1898 |
| A. F. Struckmeyer (Manual Training) ..... | 1896   | 1898 |

*Foremen of Cabinet Shop.*

|                           |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Emanuel Young .....       | 1860 to 1881 |
| E. D. Blanchard .....     | 1881 1886    |
| Frank Cowles .....        | 1886 1888    |
| David E. Lee .....        | 1888 1892    |
| Hollis Stone .....        | 1892 1896    |
| Arthur C. Bloodgood ..... | 1896 1898    |

*Foremen of Shoe Shop.*

|                           |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Thomas K. Middleton ..... | 1866 to 1869 |
| Charles Rideout .....     | 1869 1877    |
| R. S. Miner .....         | 1877 1882    |
| John Beamsley .....       | 1882 1898    |

*Foremen of Printing Office.*

|                         |              |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| N. E. Derby .....       | 1880 to 1882 |
| Charles Lemmers .....   | 1882 1883    |
| Fred E. Stickles .....  | 1883 1884    |
| Charles E. Badger ..... | 1884 1891    |
| Wm. T. Passage .....    | 1891 1895    |
| Fred C. Larson .....    | 1895 1898    |

Eleven hundred and thirty-six pupils have been connected with the school since its organization in 1852; of these one hundred and nineteen (119) took the full course prior to 1880; since that time — in the years from 1880 to 1898 — one hundred and twenty-eight (128) have been graduated, making two hundred and forty-seven (247) who have completed the course of study at the school, a very large percentage of the total admissions.

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## THE ALUMNI OF THE WISCONSIN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

| Name.                           | Occupation.         | Residence.             |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1861.                           |                     |                        |
| James A. Dudley .....           | Painter .....       | Delavan, Wis.          |
| Washington Farrer .....         | Farmer .....        | Pipe Stone, Minn.      |
| Alphonso Johnson .....          | Teacher .....       | Malone, N. Y.          |
| Thomas A. Jones .....           | Agent .....         | Marinette, Wis.        |
| George Taylor .....             | Jeweler .....       | Chicago, Ill.          |
| 1862.                           |                     |                        |
| Benjamin B. Baird .....         | Laborer .....       | Minneapolis, Minn.     |
| Amelia Bishop .....             | Seamstress .....    | Neenah, Wis.           |
| Charles Clarkson .....          | Farmer .....        | Redfield, S. D.        |
| Sarah Fountain (Bringer) .....  | Housekeeper .....   | Milwaukee, Wis.        |
| Matthew O'Neil .....            | Shoemaker .....     | Maplewood, Wis.        |
| Harvey Rolfe .....              | Carpenter .....     | De Pere, Wis.          |
| 1865.                           |                     |                        |
| Volena Barry (Hughes)* .....    | .....               | St. Paul, Minn.        |
| Theodore Benneck* .....         | Carpenter .....     | Portland, Oregon.      |
| Charles Bishop* .....           | Agent .....         | Neenah, Wis.           |
| John Downy .....                | Trunkmaker .....    | Milwaukee, Wis.        |
| Edgar Van Winter .....          | Agent .....         | Readstown, Wis.        |
| 1866.                           |                     |                        |
| Philip S. Engelhardt .....      | Pattern Maker ..... | Milwaukee, Wis.        |
| Annie Harrison (Downey)* .....  | .....               | Milwaukee, Wis.        |
| Anthony Kull* .....             | .....               | Geneva, Wis.           |
| Julia McCoy (Marshall) .....    | .....               | Lincoln, Neb.          |
| Adelia Perry (Taylor) .....     | .....               | Chicago, Ill.          |
| Cassius Scofield* .....         | Farmer .....        | Idaho.                 |
| Martha Scofield (Jarvis)* ..... | .....               | Neenah, Wis.           |
| William Sullivan .....          | Cabinet Maker ..... | Chicago, Ill.          |
| 1868.                           |                     |                        |
| Christopher C. Byrne .....      | Farmer .....        | Warsaw, Minn.          |
| Louis Dyerson .....             | Farmer .....        | McFarland, Wis.        |
| Electa DeFrees (Grout) .....    | .....               | Chicago, Ill.          |
| Frances H. Hawley* .....        | Dressmaker .....    | Linden, Wis.           |
| Amelia Jermark (Taylor) .....   | .....               | Beloit, Kan.           |
| Henry Kirchoff .....            | Farmer .....        | Thiensville, Wis.      |
| Charles Reed .....              | Postmaster .....    | Menasha, Wis.          |
| Louisa Short* .....             | .....               | Mill Creek, Wis.       |
| Matilda Taylor (Benneck) .....  | .....               | Portland, Oregon.      |
| Sarah Taylor (Tyson) .....      | .....               | Milwaukee, Wis.        |
| Emma Tenney (Van Winter) .....  | .....               | Readstown, Wis.        |
| Belle Thompson (Baird) .....    | .....               | Minneapolis, Minn.     |
| Peter Chapman .....             | Farmer .....        | Cassville, Wis.        |
| Emily Trudell .....             | .....               | .....                  |
| 1869.                           |                     |                        |
| James M. Byrns .....            | Shoemaker .....     | Cincinnati, Ohio.      |
| Mary L. End (Jarvis) .....      | .....               | Neenah, Wis.           |
| Edward Evans .....              | Laborer .....       | Prairie du Chien, Wis. |
| Edward Lewis .....              | Laborer .....       | Albany, Wis.           |
| George S. Rogers .....          | Farmer .....        | Oakfield, Wis.         |

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| Name.                              | Occupation.          | Residence.            |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1870.                              |                      |                       |
| James C. Balis.....                | Teacher.....         | Bellville, Ontario.   |
| Charles Demaris.....               | Moulder.....         | Fond du Lac, Wis.     |
| Dennis Durick.....                 | Laborer.....         | Merrill, Wis.         |
| George G. French.....              | Laborer.....         | Onalaska, Wis.        |
| Alfred Goold.....                  | Carriage-trimmer.... | Racine, Wis.          |
| Maggie Hutton*.....                |                      | Janesville, Wis.      |
| Joseph Mosnat.....                 | Printer.....         | Topeka, Kansas.       |
| Agnes Rutherford (Downy)*.....     |                      | Milwaukee, Wis.       |
| Theodore Stone.....                | Farmer.....          | Augusta, Wis.         |
| Wales Trowbridge.....              | Shoemaker.....       | Stevens Point, Wis.   |
| Euphemia Vedder (Engelhardt)*..... |                      | Milwaukee, Wis.       |
| 1871.                              |                      |                       |
| Stephen Babcock.....               | Laborer.....         | Dunnville, Wis.       |
| 1872.                              |                      |                       |
| Frank S. Hutson.....               | Bridge-tender.....   | Tacoma, Wash.         |
| Statie Minert.....                 |                      | Albany, Wis.          |
| Minnie Rapp (Sullivan).....        |                      | Chicago, Ills.        |
| Phebe Smith (Ross).....            |                      | Belleville, Wis.      |
| David T. Spencer.....              | Laborer.....         | Petresburg, Wis.      |
| Frederick Weller.....              | Factory hand.....    | Sheboygan, Wis.       |
| 1873.                              |                      |                       |
| Urban Briggs.....                  | Farmer.....          | White Rock, S. D.     |
| Anna Bartholemew (Stone).....      |                      | Augusta, Wis.         |
| Maggie Christie (Briggs).....      |                      | White Rock, S. D.     |
| Philomena Engelhardt*.....         | Dressmaker.....      | Milwaukee, Wis.       |
| Helge Harrison*.....               | Printer.....         | Manitowoc, Wis.       |
| Simpson Moon.....                  | Laborer.....         | Winona, Minn.         |
| Jas. Jos. Murphy.....              | Teacher.....         | Delavan, Wis.         |
| James Rutherford*.....             |                      | Lake Mills, Wis.      |
| Ada Rutherford (Goold).....        |                      | Racine, Wis.          |
| 1874.                              |                      |                       |
| Olivia Blair (Klug).....           |                      | Reeseville, Wis.      |
| Frederick German.....              | Shoemaker.....       | Montello, Wis.        |
| August Klug.....                   | Farmer.....          | Reeseville, Wis.      |
| Garret Meinert.....                | Carpenter.....       | Albany, Wis.          |
| Herman Riplinger.....              | Printer.....         | Manitowoc, Wis.       |
| Helen Tenney*.....                 |                      | Richland Center, Wis. |
| Charles A. Tetzlaff.....           | Mill hand.....       | Marinette, Wis.       |
| Joshua Tschudy.....                | Shoemaker.....       | New Glarus, Wis.      |
| Edwin E. Tyler.....                | Farmer.....          | Aztalan, Wis.         |
| 1875.                              |                      |                       |
| Carrie M. Bunker*.....             |                      | Troy Center, Wis.     |
| Wilmet U. Grant*(Gronberg).....    |                      | Palmyra, Wis.         |
| 1876.                              |                      |                       |
| Ada Bishop (Fisk).....             |                      | Kenosha, Wis.         |
| John W. Blair.....                 | Farmer.....          | Antioch, Ills.        |
| Louis H. Bushnell.....             | Merchant.....        | N'th Bloomfield, Cal  |
| Alexander Drinkwine.....           | Tanner.....          | Fond du Lac, Wis.     |
| Edwin H. K. Ernst*.....            | Cigarmaker.....      | Oshkosh, Wis.         |

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## ALUMNI—Continued.

| Name.                                | Occupation.                     | Residence.            |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Albert Henry .....                   | Farmer .....                    | Lodi, Wis.            |
| Alda Hummel (Tyler) .....            | .....                           | Aztalan, Wis.         |
| Mary Johnson (Toles) .....           | .....                           | Savage, Neb.          |
| Lars M. Larson .....                 | Supt. School for the Deaf ..... | Santa Fe, N. M.       |
| Mary F. Stillwell (Bishop) .....     | Agent .....                     | Neenah, Wis.          |
| George Tolles .....                  | Farmer .....                    | Savage, Neb.          |
| William F. White .....               | Laborer .....                   | Mazomanie, Wis.       |
| 1877.                                |                                 |                       |
| Sidney Barker .....                  | Laborer .....                   | Merrill, Wis.         |
| Ernest Boeckman .....                | Cigarmaker .....                | Oshkosh, Wis.         |
| Charles Barnhart* .....              | Harnessmaker .....              | Red Wing, Minn.       |
| Lydia Bailey .....                   | .....                           | Minneapolis, Minn.    |
| Philip J. Conery .....               | Barber .....                    | Pewaukee, Wis.        |
| Hugh Cork .....                      | Machinist .....                 | Minneapolis, Minn.    |
| Henry Grosnick .....                 | Farmer .....                    | Ellsworth, Kas.       |
| Charles Henry .....                  | Farmer .....                    | Fontana, Wis.         |
| Louis Hecker .....                   | Farmer .....                    | Walton, Kan.          |
| George Jockel .....                  | Tailor .....                    | Lake Mills, Wis.      |
| Mary McKee (Conery)* .....           | .....                           | Reeseville, Wis.      |
| Dennis O'Connell .....               | .....                           | Oshkosh, Wis.         |
| Ella Overton (Blair) .....           | .....                           | Antioch, Ills.        |
| Harry Reed .....                     | Teacher .....                   | St. Augustine, Fla.   |
| 1878.                                |                                 |                       |
| William J. Cullen .....              | Laborer .....                   | Black Riv. F'ls, Wis. |
| John Dill .....                      | Farmer .....                    | Newtonburg, Wis.      |
| Edmund Deubel .....                  | Shoemaker .....                 | Watertown, Wis.       |
| Leonard Englert* .....               | Shoemaker .....                 | Carney, Mich.         |
| Gunder Gunderson .....               | Farmer .....                    | Waterford, Wis.       |
| Theodore Karges .....                | Shoemaker .....                 | Burlington, Wis.      |
| Michael Ryan .....                   | Farmer .....                    | Vivian, Minn.         |
| Eric L. Sampson .....                | Farmer .....                    | Norway Grove, Wis.    |
| Elizabeth White .....                | .....                           | Mazomanie, Wis.       |
| George F. Worden .....               | Farmer .....                    | Richland Center, Wis. |
| 1879.                                |                                 |                       |
| Frances Meinert (Schurkamp) .....    | .....                           | Albany, Wis.          |
| Warren Robinson .....                | Teacher .....                   | Delavan, Wis.         |
| 1880.                                |                                 |                       |
| Dora E. Andrews (Reed) .....         | .....                           | Shawano, Wis.         |
| Nancy E. Derby (Derby) .....         | .....                           | Sioux City, Iowa.     |
| Mary Eberhardt (Tschudy)* .....      | .....                           | New Glarus, Wis.      |
| Emma Rossman (Ewing) .....           | Artist .....                    | Los Angeles, Cal.     |
| Charles W. Scott .....               | Farmer .....                    | Brothertown, Wis.     |
| 1881.                                |                                 |                       |
| Myron J. Clark .....                 | .....                           | Marion, Iowa.         |
| James F. Cullen .....                | Shoemaker .....                 | Chicago, Ills.        |
| Edward J. Falk .....                 | Farmer .....                    | Wausau, Wis.          |
| Thomas Foy .....                     | Machinist .....                 | Chicago, Ills.        |
| Cynthia L. Williams (Tetzlaff) ..... | .....                           | Marinette, Wis.       |

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| Name.   | Occupation.     | Residence.             |
|---|-----------------|------------------------|
| Mary J. Hackett (Coke).....<br>1882.          |                 | Edsallville, Pa.       |
| Mary E. Griswold .....                        | Teacher.....    | Chicago, Ill.          |
| Dennis Gorey .....                            | Tailor.....     | Chicago, Ill.          |
| Emil Weller .....                             | Printer .....   | Chicago, Ill.          |
| Ruth Wright (Deubel) *...<br>1883.            |                 | Watertown, Wis.        |
| Lottie E. Bacon (Engel-<br>hardt) .....       |                 | Milwaukee, Wis.        |
| William Calkins.....                          | Printer.....    | Buffalo, N. Y.         |
| Nellie Dickson (Falk).....                    |                 | Wausau, Wis.           |
| Elmer S. Florey.....                          | Farmer .....    | Gordon, Neb.           |
| Lawrence Gromacki.....                        | Millhand.....   | Cheboygan, Mich.       |
| Albert W. Hubner.....                         | Farmer .....    | Waterloo, Wis.         |
| Egnitz Peplenski.....                         | Lumberman.....  | Merrill, Wis.          |
| Evaline M. Ringrose.....                      |                 | Humbird, Wis.          |
| August Sonnenburg.....<br>1884.               | Carpenter ..... | Sheboygan, Wis.        |
| Simon P. Carney .....                         | Shoemaker.....  | Racine, Wis.           |
| John Dahl .....                               | Carpenter ..... | Chicago, Ill.          |
| Thomas Haggerty.....                          | Teacher .....   | Delavan, Wis.          |
| Christian Larson.....<br>1885.                | Carpenter.....  | De Forest, Wis.        |
| Kate E. Coughlin .....                        | Printer.....    | Fond du Lac, Wis.      |
| Ella E. Dudley.....                           |                 | St Paul, Minn.         |
| Benjamin F. Round .....                       | Editor .....    | Akron, Iowa.           |
| Richard E. Dimick.....<br>1886.               |                 | Almena, Wis.           |
| Adron T. Henry .....                          | Farmer .....    | Fontana, Wis.          |
| Sarah Miller (Karges).....                    |                 | Burlington, Wis.       |
| Ralph Udall .....                             | Engraver.....   | St. Louis, Mo.         |
| Henry Wakeman .....                           | Liveryman ..... | Watertown, Wis.        |
| Ellen L. Cowham (Bush-<br>nell).....<br>1888. |                 | North Blo'mfield, Cal. |
| George R. Hebard .....                        | Farmer .....    | Waupaca, Wis.          |
| Lillie Hibbard (Stickles)...                  |                 | Duluth, Minn.          |
| Violet Hibbard (Angle)...                     |                 | South Superior, Wis.   |
| Otto Langner .....                            | Shoemaker ..... | Milwaukee, Wis.        |
| Frank Morrissey .....                         | Printer.....    | St. Paul, Minn.        |
| Carrie A. Parker (Henry) ..                   |                 | Fontana, Wis.          |
| Myra E. Parker (Henry)....<br>1889.           |                 | Fontana, Wis.          |
| Alfred Cashman.....                           | Farmer .....    | Roberts, Wis.          |
| Joseph Coughlan.....                          | Clerk .....     | Kansas City, Wis.      |
| William H. Cusack.....                        | Farmer .....    | Big Springs, Wis.      |
| Mary Haggerty (Myers)....<br>1890.            |                 | Weyauwega, Wis.        |
| Linnie Bailey (Hrgerty)....                   |                 | Delavan, Wis.          |
| Louisa A. Diesburg (Wors-<br>wick).....       |                 | La Crosse, Wis.        |



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| Name.                              | Occupation.        | Residence.         |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Hugo A. Eisfelder.....             | Jeweler .....      | Boscobel, Wis.     |
| Irma M. Esselstyne (Ryan).....     | .....              | Chicago, Ill.      |
| Peter Herr.....                    | Lithographer.....  | Milwaukee, Wis.    |
| Linda Langland (Brimble).....      | .....              | Chicago, Ill.      |
| Lillie E. Morey.....               | Artist.....        | Appleton, Wis.     |
| Emma L. Ruka*.....                 | .....              | Boscobel, Wis.     |
| Joseph E. Wachuta.....             | Supervisor .....   | Delavan, Wis.      |
| Nellie E. Ward (Johnson).....      | .....              | Racine, Wis.       |
| Wallace R. Williams.....           | Farmer .....       | Bangor, Wis.       |
| 1891.                              |                    |                    |
| Sievert Allikson.....              | Farmer .....       | Westby, Wis.       |
| Thomas Carney.....                 | Farmer .....       | Russell, Wis.      |
| Michael Dowling.....               | Printer.....       | Chicago, Ill.      |
| Bernard Gallagan.....              | Farmer .....       | Shullsburg, Wis.   |
| Frederick Gierloff.....            | Shoemaker.....     | Milwaukee, Wis.    |
| Edward Hanson.....                 | Clerk .....        | Kennedy, S. D.     |
| Edward May*.....                   | Printer.....       | Ft. Atkinson, Wis. |
| William J. O'Neil.....             | Shoemaker.....     | La Crosse, Wis.    |
| William Roth.....                  | Warehouseman.....  | Westfield, Wis.    |
| Gustav Torgerson.....              | Shoemaker.....     | St. Paul, Minn.    |
| 1892.                              |                    |                    |
| William Bohling.....               | Printer.....       | Sheboygan, Wis.    |
| Chauncey Dickey.....               | Printer.....       | Neillsville, Wis.  |
| Alma R. Foster (Lawrence).....     | .....              | La Crosse, Wis.    |
| Charles W. Hayford.....            | Cabinet maker..... | Oshkosh, Wis.      |
| Philip C. Kimball.....             | Farmer .....       | Lake Geneva, Wis.  |
| Alsada Phillips.....               | Housekeeper.....   | Bay View, Wis.     |
| 1893.                              |                    |                    |
| Frances B. Groom*.....             | .....              | Cassville, Wis.    |
| Gustav Middlesdorf.....            | Farmer .....       | Colfax, Wis.       |
| Florence B. Morrison.....          | .....              | Millard, Wis.      |
| Herman S. Ruh.....                 | Farmer .....       | Milwaukee, Wis.    |
| 1894.                              |                    |                    |
| James W. Conrad.....               | Farmer .....       | Hartford, Wis.     |
| Albert Freiberg.....               | Farmer .....       | Van Dyne, Wis.     |
| Louis Kirst.....                   | Clerk .....        | Milwaukee, Wis.    |
| Helen May.....                     | Printer.....       | Ft. Atkinson, Wis. |
| George C. Myers.....               | Farmer .....       | Weyauwega, Wis.    |
| Edwin W. Nelson.....               | Farmer .....       | Fontenoy, Wis.     |
| William L. Parish.....             | Painter .....      | Sheboygan, Wis.    |
| Mary L. Powers (Middlesdorf).....  | .....              | Colfax, Wis.       |
| Francis J. Reynolds.....           | Milkman.....       | Cedarburg, Wis.    |
| Emma J. Richter.....               | Printer .....      | Janesville, Wis.   |
| Bertha L. Rosenburg (Wachuta)..... | .....              | Delavan, Wis.      |
| Ellen Schildhauer.....             | Artist.....        | New Holstein, Wis. |
| Sophia M. Stout (Bohling).....     | .....              | Sheboygan, Wis.    |
| Anna Wartzok.....                  | Laundress .....    | Milwaukee, Wis.    |
| 1895.                              |                    |                    |
| Rudolph A. Fenske.....             | Printer.....       | Shawano, Wis.      |
| James A. Goff.....                 | Farmer .....       | Stoughton, Wis.    |

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| Name.                     | Occupation.     | Residence.           |
|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| John Kircher.....         | Farmer.....     | Pepin, Wis.          |
| William Malloy.....       | Printer.....    | Milwaukee, Wis.      |
| Francis C. McGuire.....   | Barber.....     | Chippewa Falls, Wis. |
| Mary E. Molster.....      | Domestic.....   | Madison, Wis.        |
| Severine Moreau.....      | Waiter.....     | Iron River, Wis.     |
| Ida Nehring.....          | Waiter.....     | Delavan, Wis.        |
| Henry S. Plunkett.....    | Clerk.....      | Milwaukee, Wis.      |
| Henry F. Pocan.....       | Mill-hand.....  | Marinette, Wis.      |
| Stanislaus Porsorski..... | Farmer.....     | Berlin, Wis.         |
| Walter E. Redmond.....    | Printer.....    | Neillsville, Wis.    |
| Emil Reinke.....          | Mill-hand.....  | Oshkosh, Wis.        |
| Patrick J. Ryan.....      | Janitor.....    | Milwaukee, Wis.      |
| Alfred N. Stendahl.....   | Cook.....       | Alma, Wis.           |
| Gustav A. Winkleman.....  | Shoemaker.....  | Milwaukee, Wis.      |
| 1896.                     |                 |                      |
| May B. Etheridge.....     |                 | Wild Rose, Wis.      |
| Milton C. Goff.....       | Farmer.....     | Stoughton, Wis.      |
| Emma Grebel.....          |                 | Beaver Dam, Wis.     |
| Hans K. Hanson.....       | Farmer.....     | Keyeser, Wis.        |
| Frank L. Harter.....      | Painter.....    | Manitowoc, Wis.      |
| George Horne.....         | Shoemaker.....  | Whitewater, Wis.     |
| Lizzie Huhn.....          | Packer.....     | Racine, Wis.         |
| Carrie Jacobson.....      | Laundress.....  | Eau Claire, Wis.     |
| Tracy J. Jones.....       | Farmer.....     | Darien, Wis.         |
| Bertha L. Kuehn.....      | Dressmaker..... | Milwaukee, Wis.      |
| Edgar Lawrence.....       | Shoemaker.....  | La Crosse, Wis.      |
| Fred J. Neesam.....       | Farmer.....     | Fall River, Wis.     |
| John A. Nicolls.....      | Printer.....    | Eau Claire, Wis.     |
| Stephen O'Leary.....      | Clerk.....      | Duluth, Minn.        |
| George Parish.....        | Laborer.....    | Milwaukee, Wis.      |
| Alice Schumacher.....     | Packer.....     | Racine, Wis.         |
| Velam Schumacher*.....    | Printer.....    | Racine, Wis.         |
| Albert Topping.....       | Painter.....    | Merrill, Wis.        |
| Otto Yeager.....          | Groceryman..... | Merrill, Wis.        |

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*Terms of Admission.*

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## TERMS OF ADMISSION.

The Wisconsin School for the Deaf, which has a healthful and beautiful location at Delavan, on the southwestern division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, is maintained by the state of Wisconsin for the education of those children within her borders, who, on account of deafness, are unable to receive instruction in the common school. It has three departments:

First — The school proper, in which the children are taught writing, reading, composition, arithmetic, geography, history, natural science, penmanship, drawing, speech-reading and oral speech. The course of training also includes calisthenics and gymnastics for both boys and girls.

Second — The shops, where the pupils are taught printing, cabinet-making, shoe-making and baking.

Third — The domestic department, in which pupils discharge various household duties, and learn baking, sewing, dress-making and cooking.

The law provides that all deaf residents of the state, of proper age and suitable capacity to receive instruction, shall be received and taught free of charge. The regular course of instruction occupies about ten years.

The day is divided into hours for labor, study and recreation, with the design of securing habits of industry, and of promoting health, as well as intellectual and moral development. No leave of absence is granted during the term, except in case of sickness or extreme necessity.

Upon request, a blank form of application is sent to those desiring to send children to the school; and no child should be sent or brought to school until the application, properly filed, has been accepted and notice of the same returned to the person making application.

Candidates for admission should not be under eight, nor more

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than twenty years of age, of sound moral principles, and good physical health.

Imbecile, idiotic, or feeble minded children will not be received.

Each pupil should be provided with a trunk containing a year's supply of plain, comfortable clothing, marked in indelible ink; with the name in full.

The annual session begins the second Wednesday in September and continues forty weeks. The proper time for the admission of pupils is the beginning of the term, and parents should make every effort to secure their presence at that time.

Except in case of sickness, all pupils are expected to remain during the entire term; but the superintendent may require the removal, at any time, of pupils whose condition, moral, mental or physical, is not such as to warrant their continuance.

The summer vacation extends from June to September. Pupils are sent home promptly at the close of the term, accompanied to prominent railroad points by messengers from the institution. Friends will be expected to meet them at places designated.

Ten terms will be required to complete the course of study by most of those without previous instruction.

All letters and packages for pupils should be marked "Wisconsin School for the Deaf, Delavan, Wis." Express matter and telegrams should be prepaid.

In this connection city and county superintendents of schools should read sec. 3, chapter 331, laws of Wisconsin, session of 1891, as follows:

**SECTION 3.** It shall be the duty of each county and city superintendent of schools to send to the superintendent of the state school for the deaf at Delavan and to the superintendent of the state school for the blind at Janesville, the address of parents, with the name and age of each deaf or or blind child known to be in his county, and to inform parents, guardians and custodians of deaf mutes and blind children in his county or city respecting the several schools for deaf mutes and the blind in the state,

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*Statistical Tables.*


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and the conditions of admission to them; and for this purpose, the superintendents of such institutions shall provide each such superintendent with sufficient printed information and with the names and residences of all deaf mutes and blind children known to be in his county or city. And each such superintendent shall include in his annual report to the county board of supervisors or the city board of education, a statement of the number of deaf mutes and blind children of school age in such county or city then receiving an education, or the number of each not receiving an education, and of the number of personal visits he has made during the year, upon the parents, guardians or custodians of such children, to induce them to give such children a proper education.

Letters in regard to pupils, applications for admission and inquiries in regard to deaf children or their education should be addressed to

JOHN W. SWILER, *Superintendent,*  
Delavan, Wis.

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1897.

|          |  |              |              |
|----------|--|--------------|--------------|
| 1896.    |  |              |              |
| Oct. 1   | Balance.....   |              | \$27,875 65  |
| 1897.    |  |              |              |
| May 1    | Appropriation Chap. 308, Laws 1897....                 |              | 85,000 00    |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries.....                              |              | 1,594 91     |
|          | Transferred to board of control fund..                 | \$1,373 20   |              |
|          | Paid on account of current expenses<br>this year.....  | 53,871 99    |              |
|          | Transferred from manual training<br>building fund..... | 67 22        |              |
|          | Balance appropriation in<br>state treasury.....        | \$59,052 60  |              |
|          | Balance in hands of steward                            | 105 55       | 59,158 15    |
|          | Totals .....   | \$114,470 56 | \$114,470 56 |

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## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1898.

|          |  |             |             |
|----------|--|-------------|-------------|
| 1897.    |  |             |             |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....                          |             | \$59,158 15 |
| 1898.    |  |             |             |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries .....             |             | 1,077 66    |
|          | Transferred to board of control fund.. | \$1,125 00  |             |
|          | Transferred to new boiler fund .....   | 130 40      |             |
|          | Paid on account of current expenses    |             |             |
|          | this year .....                        | 44,442 72   |             |
|          | Balance in state treasury..            | \$14,510 86 |             |
|          | Balance in hands of steward            | 26 83       | 14,537 69   |
|          | Totals .....                           | \$60,235 81 | \$60,235 81 |

## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUNDS.

| Classified items.                   | Balance available Oct. 1, 1896. | Appropriation, 1897. | Transferred to this account. | Expended during the biennial period. | Balance available Oct. 1, 1898. |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Water supply for fire protection... | \$2,966 75                      |                      |                              | \$132 64                             | \$2,834 11                      |
| Manual training building .....      | 3,654 58                        |                      | \$296 86                     | 3,951 44                             |                                 |
| New boilers .....                   |                                 | \$4,000 00           |                              | 4,000 00                             |                                 |
| Totals .....                        | \$6,621 33                      | \$4,000 00           | \$296 86                     | \$8,084 08                           | \$2,834 11                      |

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## STATEMENT OF MONEYS RECEIVED AT THE INSTITUTION.

| Classification.                                   | Year ending<br>Sept. 30,<br>1897. | Year ending<br>Sept. 30,<br>1898. |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Amusements and means of instructions.....         |                                   | \$4 25                            |
| Barn, farm and garden .....                       | \$429 82                          | 159 81                            |
| Board and tuition .....                           | 175 00                            | 25 00                             |
| Clothing and expense of pupils .....              | 165 75                            | 168 45                            |
| Engines and boilers.....                          | 2 10                              | 71 38                             |
| Fuel .....  | 2 50                              | 12 00                             |
| Gas and other lights.....                         | 5 05                              | .....                             |
| Printing office.....                              | 134 50                            | 70 38                             |
| Printing, postage, stationery and telegraph ..... | 20 89                             | 19 55                             |
| Repairs and renewals.....                         | 54 57                             | 103 54                            |
| Scraps.....                                       | 51 07                             | .....                             |
| Shoeshop .....                                    | 539 26                            | 345 40                            |
| Subsistence .....                                 | 40                                | 89 90                             |
| Wages and salaries.....                           | 14 00                             | 8 00                              |
| Totals.....                                       | \$1,594 91                        | \$1,077 66                        |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Wisconsin School for the Deaf for*

| CLASSIFIED ITEMS.                                 | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1894. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer'd<br>to this<br>account<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Amusements and in-<br>struction.....              | \$2,580 69                          | \$495 03                         | \$15 00   | \$3,090 72   |
| Barn, farm and garden .                           | 1,249 65                            | 968 04                           | .....   | 2,217 69     |
| Clothing .....                                    | 287 40                              | 165 74                           | 210 89  | 664 03       |
| Discounts .....                                   | .....                               | .....                            | .....   | .....        |
| Drug and med. dept....                            | 24 50                               | 118 73                           | .....   | 143 23       |
| Engines and boilers ....                          | 5,762 00                            | 3,659 64                         | .....   | 9,421 64     |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....      | .....                               | 20 70                            | .....   | 20 70        |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 495 75                              | .....                            | .....   | 495 75       |
| Fuel.....   | 908 75                              | 2,893 62                         | .....   | 3,802 37     |
| Furniture.....                                    | 5,528 95                            | 160 75                           | 80 50   | 5,770 20     |
| Gas and other lights ...                          | 3,213 31                            | 6,595 04                         | 455 00  | 10,263 35    |
| House furnishing .....                            | 6,014 16                            | 1,230 10                         | .....   | 7,244 26     |
| Laundry.....                                      | 906 09                              | 693 38                           | 16 50   | 1,615 97     |
| Library.....                                      | 1,831 00                            | 10 25                            | .....   | 1,841 25     |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 653 91                              | 1,258 33                         | 20 00   | 1,932 24     |
| Miscellaneous.....                                | 493 30                              | 344 45                           | 95 31   | 933 06       |
| Officers' expenses .....                          | .....                               | 89 38                            | .....   | 89 38        |
| Printing office .....                             | 1,244 76                            | 206 64                           | 400 00  | 1,851 40     |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 176 18                              | 327 72                           | 10 25   | 514 15       |
| Real estate, including<br>building, etc .....     | 110,163 41                          | .....                            | 10,296 86   | 120,460 27   |
| Repairs and renewals...                           | 959 82                              | 4,335 43                         | .....   | 5,295 25     |
| Shoe shop .....                                   | 958 60                              | 519 22                           | 500 00  | 1,977 82     |
| Subsistence.....                                  | 675 87                              | 7,973 00                         | 414 17  | 9,063 04     |
| Wages and salaries.....                           | .....                               | 21,896 79                        | .....   | 21,896 79    |
| Scraps.....                                       | .....                               | .....                            | 51 07   | 51 07        |
| Totals .....                                      | \$144,128 10                        | \$53,961 98                      | \$12,565 55   | \$210,655 63 |
| Discounts and other<br>credits.....               | .....                               | 89 99                            | .....   | 162,407 53   |
| Net expenses .....                                | .....                               | \$53,871 99                      | .....   | \$48,248 10  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of



*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES***the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897.                      | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Trans-<br>ferred from<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Total.       | Gained. | Expended.   |
|--|--|--|--------------|---------|-------------|
| \$2,626 55   |  |  | \$2,626 55   |         | \$464 17    |
| 1,325 55   | \$429 82   | \$414 17   | 2,169 54     |         | 48 15       |
| 297 63   | 165 75   |  | 463 38       |         | 200 65      |
|  |  | 49 32  | 49 32        | \$49 32 |             |
| 27 25  |  |  | 27 25        |         | 115 98      |
| 8,157 10   | 2 10   |  | 8,159 20     |         | 1,262 44    |
|  |  |  |              |         | 20 70       |
| 495 75   |  |  | 495 75       |         |             |
| 294 25   | 2 50   | 450 00   | 746 75       |         | 3,055 62    |
| 5,727 15   |  |  | 5,727 15     |         | 43 05       |
| 2,868 54   | 5 05   | 31 10  | 2,904 69     |         | 7,358 66    |
| 6,345 32   |  |  | 6,345 32     |         | 898 94      |
| 870 93   |  |  | 870 93       |         | 745 04      |
| 1,832 50   |  |  | 1,832 50     |         | 8 75        |
| 1,892 89   |  | 1 43   | 1,894 32     |         | 37 92       |
| 525 55   |  |  | 525 55       |         | 407 51      |
|  |  |  |              |         | 89 38       |
| 1,241 34   | 134 50   | 128 70   | 1,504 54     |         | 346 86      |
| 172 44   | 20 89  |  | 193 33       |         | 320 82      |
| 120,460 27   |  |  | 120,460 27   |         |             |
| 1,810 62   | 54 57  | 156 57   | 2,021 76     |         | 3,273 49    |
| 979 07   | 539 26   | 210 89   | 1,729 22     |         | 248 60      |
| 678 24   | 40   | 16 50  | 695 14       |         | 8,367 90    |
|  | 14 00  | 900 00   | 914 00       |         | 20,982 79   |
|  | 51 07  |  | 51 07        |         |             |
| \$158,628 94   | \$1,419 91   | \$2,358 68   | \$162,407 53 |         | \$48,297 42 |
|  |  |  |              |         | 49 32       |
|  |  |  |              |         | \$48,248 10 |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control..... |  |  |              |         | 1,373 20    |
|  |  |  |              |         | \$46,874 90 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Wisconsin School for the Deaf for*

| CLASSIFIED ITEMS.                                 | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer'd<br>to this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Amusement and in-<br>struction.....               | \$2,626 55                          | \$344 50                         | \$67 00   | \$3,038 05   |
| Barn, farm and garden.                            | 1,325 55                            | 808 77                           | .....   | 2,134 32     |
| Clothing.....                                     | 297 63                              | 228 93                           | 205 95  | 732 51       |
| Discounts.....                                    | .....                               | .....                            | .....   | .....        |
| Drug and med. dept....                            | 27 25                               | 274 92                           | .....   | 302 17       |
| Engines and boilers ....                          | 8,157 10                            | 408 36                           | .....   | 8,565 46     |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....      | .....                               | 25 14                            | .....   | 25 14        |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 495 75                              | .....                            | .....   | 495 75       |
| Fuel.....   | 294 25                              | 3,334 80                         | .....   | 3,629 05     |
| Furniture.....                                    | 5,727 15                            | 45 81                            | 70 50   | 5,843 46     |
| Gas and other lights....                          | 2,868 54                            | 2,202 05                         | .....   | 5,070 59     |
| House furnishing.....                             | 6,345 32                            | 1,030 44                         | .....   | 7,375 76     |
| Laundry.....                                      | 870 93                              | 160 93                           | 11 22   | 1,043 08     |
| Library.....                                      | 1,832 50                            | 72 28                            | .....   | 1,904 78     |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 1,892 89                            | 517 63                           | .....   | 2,410 52     |
| Miscellaneous.....                                | 525 55                              | 205 34                           | .....   | 730 89       |
| Officers' expenses.....                           | .....                               | 121 39                           | .....   | 121 39       |
| Printing office.....                              | 1,241 34                            | 123 97                           | 480 00  | 1,845 31     |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 172 44                              | 320 59                           | 19 00   | 512 03       |
| Real estate (including<br>buildings, etc).....    | 120,460 27                          | .....                            | 4,342 40  | 124,802 67   |
| Repairs and renewals...                           | 1,810 62                            | 1,120 37                         | .....   | 2,930 99     |
| Shoe shop.....                                    | 979 07                              | 773 07                           | 600 00  | 2,352 14     |
| Subsistence.....                                  | 678 24                              | 8,705 74                         | 599 37  | 9,983 35     |
| Wages and salaries.....                           | .....                               | 22,815 55                        | .....   | 22,815 55    |
| Scraps.....                                       | .....                               | .....                            | .....   | .....        |
| Fire and boiler insurance                         | .....                               | 840 00                           | .....   | 840 00       |
| Totals.....                                       | \$158,628 94                        | \$44,480 58                      | \$6,395 44  | \$209,504 96 |
| Discounts and other<br>credits.....               | .....                               | 37 86                            | .....   | 164,687 43   |
| Net expenses.....                                 | .....                               | \$44,442 72                      | .....   | \$44,817 53  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of

*Statistical Tables.*

## CURRENT EXPENSES

*the fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1898.                          | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       | Gained. | Expended.   |
|--|--|--|--------------|---------|-------------|
| \$1,671 33   | \$4 25   |  | \$1,675 58   |         | \$1,362 47  |
| 1,251 70   | 159 81   | 599 37   | 2,010 88     |         | 123 44      |
| 318 04   | 168 45   |  | 486 49       |         | 246 02      |
|  |  | 37 86  | 37 86        | \$37 86 |             |
| 19 50  |  |  | 19 50        |         | 282 67      |
| 8,151 00   | 71 38  |  | 8,222 38     |         | 343 08      |
|  |  |  |              |         | 25 14       |
| 428 31   |  |  | 428 31       |         | 67 44       |
| 185 00   | 12 00  |  | 197 00       |         | 3,432 05    |
| 5,513 59   |  |  | 5,513 59     |         | 329 87      |
| 2,547 45   |  |  | 2,547 45     |         | 2,523 14    |
| 6,267 26   |  |  | 6,267 26     |         | 1,108 50    |
| 877 75   |  |  | 877 75       |         | 165 33      |
| 1,890 50   |  |  | 1,890 50     |         | 14 28       |
| 2,051 15   |  |  | 2,051 15     |         | 359 37      |
| 553 05   |  |  | 553 05       |         | 177 84      |
|  |  |  |              |         | 121 39      |
| 1,216 49   | 70 38  | 86 00  | 1,372 87     |         | 472 44      |
| 183 60   | 19 55  |  | 203 15       |         | 308 88      |
| 124,802 67   |  |  | 124,802 67   |         |             |
| 1,651 90   | 103 54   | 282 50   | 2,037 94     |         | 893 05      |
| 1,031 86   | 345 40   | 205 95   | 1,583 21     |         | 768 93      |
| 719 72   | 89 90  | 11 22  | 820 84       |         | 9,162 51    |
|  | 8 00   | 1,080 00   | 1,088 00     |         | 21,727 55   |
|  |  |  |              |         | 840 00      |
| \$161,331 87   | \$1,052 66   | \$2,302 90   | \$164,687 43 | \$3867  | \$44,855 39 |
|  |  |  |              |         | 37 86       |
|  |  |  |              |         | \$44,817 53 |
| State for salaries and expenses of the Board of Control..... |  |  |              |         | 1,125 00    |
|  |  |  |              |         | \$45,942 53 |

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## FARM AND GARDEN PRODUCTS.

| ARTICLES.    | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30TH, 1897. |          | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30TH, 1898. |          |
|--------------|--|----------|--|----------|
|              | Quantity.                                  | Value.   | Quantity.                                  | Value.   |
| Apples.....  |  |          | 50 bu.                                     | \$25 00  |
| Calves ..... | 1  | \$2 00   | 4  | 6 75     |
| Cows .....   | 6  | 187 00   | 2  | 68 15    |
| Hay .....    |  |          | 2 tons.                                    | 10 00    |
| Hogs.....    | 6,400 lbs.                                 | 193 50   | 610 lbs.                                   | 18 30    |
| Manure ..... | 18 loads                                   | 4 50     | 23 loads                                   | 5 75     |
| Milk .....   | 45,466 lbs.                                | 436 99   | 68,071 lbs.                                | 649 23   |
| Pigs .....   | 19   | 20 00    |  |          |
| Swill.....   |  |          |  | 12 00    |
| Total.....   |  | \$843 99 |  | \$795 18 |

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**EIGHTH BIENNIAL REPORT**

**OF THE**

**Wisconsin School for the Blind**

**FOR THE**

**Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.**

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## OFFICERS.

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|---------------------------|---|---|---|-----------------------------|
| HOWARD F. BLISS,          | - | - | - | SUPERINTENDENT AND STEWARD. |
| MISS ELIZABETH J. CURTIS, | - | - | - | MATRON.                     |
| MISS JENNIE L. KENDALL,   | - | - | - | CLERK.                      |

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## TEACHERS.

### LITERARY DEPARTMENT.

|                           |                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| MISS S. AUGUSTA WATSON,   | MISS FRANCES H. BENSON.  |
| MISS ALICE B. FELLOWS,    | MISS ELIZABETH HOUGHTON. |
| MISS ELIZABETH M. ABBOTT, | MISS MABEL C. FAIRFIELD. |
| MISS HELEN'S. TUTTLE,     | (KINDERGARTEN.)          |

### MUSICAL DEPARTMENT.

|                         |                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| MRS. JOANNA H. JONES,   | MISS JENETTE BECKWITH. |
| MISS LAURA D. ENGLESON, | HERBERT W. ADAMS.      |

### INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| MISS ELEANOR PARKS, | ASSISTANT MATRON, TEACHER OF GIRLS' SEWING. |
| MRS. ELLEN HANSON,  | TEACHER OF WEAVING.                         |
| WM. F. HURSEY,      | TEACHER OF PIANO TUNING.                    |
| JOSEPH PRESTON,     | TEACHER OF BOYS' HANDICRAFT.                |

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:—It is my pleasure to submit herewith the forty-ninth annual and eighth biennial report of the State School for Blind.

The work of the institution, during the past two years, as near as I am able to judge, has been uniformly good. Advancement in every department has resulted, and while our highest ambitions have not been realized, yet we have but little reason for discouragement. The liberal policy adopted and pursued by your honorable body, has contributed largely to the pleasure and success of the work.

### THE STATE PROPERTY.

An inventory of the state property just completed shows a valuation of about \$230,000.00, an increase of \$28,000.00 over two years ago: \$25,000.00 of this increase was invested in the new east wing, and the balance in a new lighting plant. The property is in fairly good repair. The boiler house should be enlarged and a coal shed attached, requiring an investment of about \$2,000.00. An equal amount should be spent on the shop building to convert it into a boys' dormitory. The main building also needs painting inside. This would require perhaps \$1,500.00. When these improvements are made the property will be in good condition, and will require but little outlay of money for some years to come.

I should perhaps add that the above improvements would have been made but for the fact that our appropriation was cut down two years ago.

### HEALTH.

The health of the school has been uniformly good. The sanitary conditions, with a good wholesome diet and the excellent

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care bestowed by the matrons, has contributed largely to this result. No deaths have occurred, and but two children have left the school permanently on account of poor health. One, a little girl who was suffering with organic heart trouble, the other a boy who developed symptoms of insanity as the result of injuries sustained before entering the school. We have been free from epidemic diseases, and our expenses for medical treatment have been light.

**ATTENDANCE.**

The attendance has steadily increased although not rapidly. A gratifying feature of this increase, however, is in the fact that a very large percentage of the new pupils are children under 12 years of age. I am satisfied that a large number of children are scattered over the state who should receive the benefits of the state school for blind, but it does not seem possible to reach them, because of ignorance and prejudice. If a personal canvass could be made by an authorized agent, many of this unfortunate class might be reached. I would recommend to your honorable body such a canvass in the interests of the institution. The state has the facilities for caring for fifty more children, and the work of philanthropy should be extended to the limit of capacity.

**ENROLLMENT.**

|   |     |     |
|---|-----|-----|
| The enrollment, Oct. 1st, 1896, was ..... | 103 |     |
| Admitted to Oct. 1st, 1897 .. .....       | 37  |     |
| Total .....                               |     | 140 |
| Graduated .....                           | 10  |     |
| Dropped during year .....                 | 19  | 29  |
| Remaining on roll Oct. 1st, 1897. ....    |     | 111 |
| Admitted to Oct. 1st, 1898 .....          |     | 33  |
| Total .....                               |     | 144 |
| Graduated from Trades department .....    | 4   |     |
| Dropped during year .....                 | 35  | 39  |
| Remaining on roll Oct. 1st, 1898 .....    |     | 105 |



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The average attendance for the year 1896-97 was 103; for the year 1897-98, 111. The average age of pupils is about 18 years. The adult blind who have lost their sight by accident or otherwise, in later life, continue to come to us for trades and what little knowledge they may acquire; and I am more than ever convinced that the state, sooner or later, will add to its institutions an Industrial Home for the adult blind. This could be made partially self-supporting, and in my judgment would be a wise and humane charity.

**INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.**

The usual trades for boys,—chair caning, weaving, broom and mattress making, hammock and fly-net making, with knitting, sewing and cooking for the girls, have been faithfully taught. We have sent out from this department during the past two years, a dozen men. Some of them are partially self-supporting. The girls who leave us from this or any other department are more helpless than the boys, yet they gain a knowledge of cooking and sewing that renders them helpful in the home. Our young people as a rule are industrious and willing to work, but they are sadly handicapped, and almost every channel is closed to them.

**THE TUNING DEPARTMENT.**

Piano tuning, as an occupation for a limited number of blind men, is perhaps the most promising of any field of employment. At my suggestion the Board placed at the head of this department, a year ago, a blind teacher. He is a man who not only thoroughly understands his profession, but also the art of securing business. I found that many of our boys were being sent out with diplomas, but lacking the ability to apply their knowledge. This was a serious defect, which I am glad to say is being overcome. A great deal of prejudice exists toward blind tuners, and yet it is possible for a blind man with his sensitive ear and

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delicate touch, to rival the man with sight. We expect good results from this department, and are already obtaining them.

#### MUSIC.

Music and blindness are so closely associated in popular thought that many people believe that all blind persons are natural musicians. This, however, is not the case. Music is generally taught in schools for the blind for two reasons: first, because of its refining and helpful influence, and second, because of the comfort and happiness that it contributes. Occasionally a blind musician becomes so expert as to create a demand for his services, and music is frequently an aid to self-support.

The pipe organ, put in by special appropriation last year, is a practical adjunct to this department. The organ is one of the best in the state. We will be able to turn out some good organists whose services will be in demand.

The pipe organ, piano and harmony are under the management of an old and experienced teacher; and the violin and orchestra instruction is now a separate division in charge of a blind man who appears to thoroughly understand his work. The orchestra includes violins, viola, cello, double bass, cornet, clarinet, trombone, and snare and bass drums, and the aim is so far as possible, to make each member an independent player. In this way he may fill a niche in some orchestra after leaving school, and thus earn a little money.

#### VOCAL DEPARTMENT.

The state school is noted for its vocal talent, the chorus work being unusually fine. This is owing to the persistent and faithful work by a competent teacher. Every child is taught to sing, and every voice that displays special talent is given individual training. Some of our young people leave us thoroughly competent to fill a place acceptably in church choirs or concert companies, and will not hesitate to do so if an opportunity presents.

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## LITERARY DEPARTMENT.

The work in the literary department for the past two years has been very satisfactory, owing largely to the faithful and efficient work of the principal, Miss S. Augusta Watson, who has been connected with the school for more than thirty years. She has been ably assisted by a competent corps of teachers, and advancement has been made in every grade.

The course of study is much the same as the high school course of the state, and our graduates leave us as well equipped mentally as the graduates of any other high school. The incentive of the university and college, however, is not before them, and were they not so badly handicapped for the ordinary work of life, I should eliminate some studies that are impractical. The longer I am connected with the work the more I am impressed with the fact that the mind of every blind child should be stored with useful knowledge to the extent of its ability,—not to equip them for any particular line of work, but to equip them for life. Blindness means solitude, lack of companionship, frequently homelessness. It means the loss of a thousand things that seem trivial to seeing people, and yet that contribute much to the satisfaction and enjoyment of every-day life. The eyes that never look out, but always look in, should have at least the satisfaction of drawing on a well stored mind to help out the long and weary days that so often become burdensome.

I have discovered that it is possible to educate a blind child beyond the humble home environments, and to awaken in the active brain and receptive mind ambitions that can never be realized, because of infirmity; but this is better than ignorance.

If the channels of trade or business were open to the blind, as they are to the deaf, I should emphasize this branch of their education, but almost every department is a closed door to them.

I adopted the policy, two years ago of saying to our gradu-

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ates, "Come back and spend a year or two years if necessary, in perfecting yourselves in music, the trades, or any other one thing that you may want to take up for regular work." As a result we had in the school last year a class of eight post graduates. All of them were greatly benefited, and the most of them to-day are self-supporting or partially so.

## RECOMMENDATIONS,

I have long felt that the institution should have the services of a competent oculist.

Many children come to us with more or less sight, and an operation, or perhaps treatment and glasses, would enable them to attend the public schools. When this result is possible, it seems to me that the state for its own protection, as well as in the interest of this class of children, should provide this means. I would therefore recommend that the Board employ a skilled oculist to visit the institution at least once a month, to examine and treat such cases as may require his services. The state of Texas has employed an oculist for many years. The latest report shows that ninety-seven operations were performed last year, and eight pupils sent home permanently cured.

I would also recommend to your honorable body the consideration of a state industrial home for the adult blind. This question will bear close investigation and careful study from a humane standpoint. This institution is in close touch with the adult blind of the state. Many of this class are partially or entirely dependent. They are willing to work and longing for an opportunity. It is possible for the state, at moderate cost, to provide the opportunity. Such a home can be made partially self-supporting, and its establishment would mean a refuge to a class of unfortunate people who have ever appealed to human sympathy.

Thanking you for the cordial support rendered, I am

Very sincerely,

H. F. BLISS,

*Superintendent.*

*Statistical Tables.*

## ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS, 1896-98.

*Boys.*

| Name.                   | Postoffice.               | County.      |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| Adams, Herbert.....     | North Clayton.....        | Crawford.    |
| Albert, Mark.....       | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| Alleyn, Medar.....      | Marinette.....            | Marinette.   |
| Anderson, Jens.....     | Stoughton.....            | Dane.        |
| Babcock, James.....     | Clarno.....               | Green.       |
| Barnes, Robert.....     | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| Bellman, Leonard.....   | Oshkosh.....              | Winnebago.   |
| Belongia, Fred.....     | Oconto.....               | Oconto.      |
| Bender, Frank.....      | Arbor.....                | Vernon.      |
| Bentzine, Alphonse..... | Cumberland.....           | Barron.      |
| Berger, Nicholas.....   | Aniwa.....                | Langlade.    |
| Bergs, Joseph.....      | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| Bethke, Friedel.....    | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| Bishop, Vigo Fred.....  | Ripon.....                | Fond du Lac. |
| Breitzman, Leo.....     | Neenah.....               | Winnebago.   |
| Brown, Royal.....       | Neillsville.....          | Clark.       |
| Buss, Frank.....        | Menomonie.....            | Dunn.        |
| Carey, Grover.....      | Sparta.....               | Monroe.      |
| Carman, John.....       | Madison.....              | Dane.        |
| Carter, Roy.....        | Janesville.....           | Rock.        |
| Cochran, Orson.....     | Centralia.....            | Wood.        |
| Cochran, Willie.....    | Centralia.....            | Wood.        |
| Cory, Arthur.....       | Sparta.....               | Monroe.      |
| Covey, Arthur.....      | Oshkosh.....              | Winnebago.   |
| Davies, Herbert.....    | West. Union Junction..... | Racine.      |
| Dobbins, Willie.....    | Marinette.....            | Marinette.   |
| Edwards, Arthur.....    | Oconto.....               | Oconto.      |
| Egdvedt, Samuel.....    | Stoughton.....            | Dane.        |
| Feick, Hugo.....        | Plymouth.....             | Sheboygan.   |
| Eistel, Alfred.....     | Sheboygan.....            | Sheboygan.   |
| Finney, Will.....       | Steuben.....              | Crawford.    |
| Gauerke, Adolph.....    | Ixonia.....               | Jefferson.   |
| Genrich, Edward.....    | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| Goetzinger, Walter..... | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| Hanchette, Boyd.....    | Neenah.....               | Winnebago.   |
| Heck, Leo.....          | Sheboygan.....            | Sheboygan.   |
| Heil Joseph.....        | Stevens Point.....        | Portage.     |
| Hess, Joseph.....       | Kewaskum.....             | Washington.  |
| Hesseneau, Harry.....   | Janesville.....           | Rock.        |
| Hulbert, Chester.....   | Bangor.....               | La Crosse.   |
| Hartley, Dell.....      | Pardeeville.....          | Columbia.    |
| Johnson, Arndt.....     | Blair.....                | Trempealeau. |
| Johnston, Bertie.....   | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| Kavanaugh, James.....   | Cumberland.....           | Barron.      |
| Kimball, Joseph.....    | Knowlton.....             | Marathon.    |
| Knight, Terrence.....   | Darlington.....           | Lafayette.   |
| Knuth, Bernard.....     | Milwaukee.....            | Milwaukee.   |
| La Mire, Fred.....      | Wausaukee.....            | Marinette.   |

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 ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS, 1896-98.—Continued.
 

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*Boys.*

| Name.                     | Postoffice.         | County.     |
|---------------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| Larsen, Albin .....       | Prentice.....       | Price.      |
| Lange, Leo.....           | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Langenkamp, Joseph.....   | Tisch Mills.....    | Manitowoc.  |
| Lemere, Frank.....        | Chilton.....        | Calumet.    |
| Leuenberger, George.....  | Monroe.....         | Greeh.      |
| McCulloch, Pliny.....     | Viroqua.....        | Vernon.     |
| McNally, Clarence.....    | Walworth.....       | Walworth.   |
| Mahan, Albert.....        | Whitewater.....     | Walworth.   |
| Mansky, Gustav.....       | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Manz, Louis.....          | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Metajowitz, Charles.....  | Branch.....         | Manitowoc.  |
| Molle, Constant.....      | Green Bay.....      | Brown.      |
| Mullins, John.....        | Delavan.....        | Walworth.   |
| Muselek, William.....     | Racine.....         | Racine.     |
| Nelson, Carl.....         | River Falls.....    | Pierce.     |
| Nelson, William.....      | Cushing.....        | St. Croix.  |
| Ness, Ludwig.....         | Eau Claire.....     | Eau Claire. |
| Nitschke, Arthur.....     | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Oswald, John.....         | Rwo Rivers.....     | Manitowoc.  |
| Parish, Chester.....      | Whitewater.....     | Walworth.   |
| Pierce, Clarence.....     | Sparta.....         | Monroe.     |
| Prosser, James.....       | Menasha.....        | Winnebago.  |
| Quade, Wille.....         | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Raabe, Edward.....        | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Rause, Carl.....          | Mauston.....        | Juneau.     |
| Reutzen, Emil.....        | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Rickert, Adam.....        | Portage.....        | Columbia.   |
| Roberts, Dan.....         | Baraboo.....        | Sauk.       |
| Root, Charles.....        | Waukesha.....       | Waukesha.   |
| Rouse, Hayes.....         | Bay Settlement..... | Brown.      |
| Schmidkunz, Rudolph.....  | Mackville.....      | Outagamie.  |
| Schuster, John.....       | Richfield.....      | Washington. |
| Scofield, Howard.....     | Oshkosh.....        | Winnebago.  |
| Scribner, Jerry.....      | Oshkosh.....        | Winnebago.  |
| Siegel, Frank.....        | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Silver, Guy.....          | Monroe.....         | Green.      |
| Singsam, John.....        | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Slack, Philip.....        | Hesper.....         | Iowa.       |
| Taylor, George.....       | Waupaca.....        | Waupaca.    |
| Thurrow, Herman.....      | Reedsville.....     | Manitowoc.  |
| Tummond, Frank.....       | Mount Hope.....     | Grant.      |
| Tyczkowski, Aloysius..... | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Wagner, August.....       | Horicon.....        | Juneau.     |
| Wilson, John.....         | Bloomington.....    | Grant.      |
| Wutke, Otto.....          | Milwaukee.....      | Milwaukee.  |
| Wutstrack, Charles.....   | Footeville.....     | Rock.       |

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*Statistical Tables.*

## ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS, 1897-98—Continued.

*Girls.*

| Name.                     | Postoffice.               | County.       |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| Altenberg, Emilia .....   | Milwaukee .....           | Milwaukee.    |
| Anderson, Ida .....       | Menomonie .....           | Dunn.         |
| Belongia, Louise .....    | Oconto .....              | Oconto.       |
| Bennett, Jessie .....     | Darlington .....          | Lafayette.    |
| Bentzine, Emma .....      | Cumberland .....          | Barron.       |
| Bentzine, Jennie .....    | Cumberland .....          | Barron.       |
| Bo, Alfreda .....         | Woodville .....           | St. Croix.    |
| Bolden, Elva .....        | Genesee .....             | Waukesha.     |
| Boury, Leah .....         | Rice Lake .....           | Barron.       |
| Brandt, Anna .....        | Oshkosh .....             | Winnebago.    |
| Brooks, Hattie .....      | Pittsville .....          | Wood.         |
| Carr, Cassie .....        | Eau Claire .....          | Eau Claire.   |
| Cochran, Beth .....       | Centralia .....           | Wood.         |
| Cole, Dora Eva .....      | Red Mound .....           | Vernon.       |
| Clyde, Grace .....        | Janesville .....          | Rock.         |
| Cornett, Irma .....       | Menominee .....           | Michigan.     |
| Davies, Anna .....        | West Union Junction ..... | Racine.       |
| Davies, Margaret .....    | West Union Junction ..... | Racine.       |
| Deery, Sarah .....        | Waukesha .....            | Waukesha.     |
| Distel, Mary .....        | Racine .....              | Racine.       |
| Doane, Hazel .....        | Milwaukee .....           | Milwaukee.    |
| Egloff, Orpha .....       | Rhineland .....           | Oneida.       |
| Emerson, Elizabeth .....  | Hanover .....             | Rock.         |
| Enders, Emma .....        | Marinette .....           | Marinette.    |
| Faulkes, Della .....      | Waukesha .....            | Waukesha.     |
| Foster, Jessie .....      | Janesville .....          | Rock.         |
| Frank, Josephine .....    | Aberdeen .....            | South Dakota. |
| Gallagher, Genevra .....  | West Superior .....       | Douglas.      |
| Gilbert, Winifred .....   | Stoughton .....           | Dane.         |
| Getchell, Martha .....    | River Falls .....         | Pierce.       |
| Gleasant, Jessie .....    | Rockton .....             | Illinois.     |
| Gomm, Florence .....      | Milwaukee .....           | Milwaukee.    |
| Gould, Lena .....         | Brodhead .....            | Green.        |
| Griffin, Edith .....      | Chicago .....             | Illinois.     |
| Guernsey, Gertrude .....  | Rock Prairie .....        | Rock.         |
| Hauke, Julia .....        | Sparta .....              | Monroe.       |
| Helmenstein, Dollie ..... | Blue Mounds .....         | Dane.         |
| Hollister, Jessie .....   | Bancroft .....            | Portage.      |
| Hull, Anna .....          | Montello .....            | Marquette.    |
| Jones, Lela .....         | Delavan .....             | Walworth.     |
| Larsen, Mary .....        | Kenosha .....             | Kenosha.      |
| Lohrie, Lillie .....      | Sparta .....              | Monroe.       |
| Lorentsen, Thea .....     | Baldwin .....             | St. Croix.    |
| McFate, Mildred .....     | Waupun .....              | Fond du Lac.  |
| Masterson, Adeline .....  | Appleton .....            | Outagamie.    |
| Mathewson, Rose .....     | Meehan Jct. .....         | Portage.      |
| Mattson, Anna .....       | Atlas .....               | Polk.         |
| Merten, Augusta .....     | Cedarburg .....           | Milwaukee.    |
| Miller, Lizzie .....      | Eau Claire .....          | Eau Claire.   |

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 ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS, 1897-98—Continued.
 

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*Girls—Continued.*

| Name.                   | Postoffice.       | County.     |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Noyes, Grace.....       | Milton.....       | Rock.       |
| Oleson, Olga.....       | La Crosse.....    | La Crosse.  |
| O'Shea, Margaret.....   | Wilson.....       | St. Croix.  |
| O'Shea, Stella.....     | Wilson.....       | St. Croix.  |
| Palmer, Carrie May..... | Janesville.....   | Rock.       |
| Patterson, Violet.....  | Milwaukee.....    | Milwaukee.  |
| Preston, Myrtie.....    | River Falls.....  | Pierce.     |
| Pundt, Louise.....      | Milwaukee.....    | Milwaukee.  |
| Racine, Katie.....      | Milwaukee.....    | Milwaukee.  |
| Rause, Otelle.....      | Mauston.....      | Juneau.     |
| Roberts, Margaret.....  | Milwaukee.....    | Milwaukee.  |
| Russel, May.....        | Milwaukee.....    | Milwaukee.  |
| Schnittke, Millie.....  | Eau Claire.....   | Eau Claire. |
| Schueneman, Ella.....   | Appleton.....     | Outagamie.  |
| Snyder, Grace.....      | Janesville.....   | Rock.       |
| Steinhoff, Agatha.....  | Rapp.....         | Monroe.     |
| Tabor, Cora.....        | Delavan.....      | Walworth.   |
| Tibbitts, Anna.....     | McMillan.....     | Marathon.   |
| Tollefson, Tina.....    | Winchester.....   | Winnebago.  |
| Tuttle, Helen.....      | Baraboo.....      | Sauk.       |
| Van Handel, Mary.....   | Little Chute..... | Outagamie.  |
| Van Valen, Leona.....   | Janesville.....   | Rock.       |
| Van Wald, Sarah.....    | Sauk City.....    | Sauk.       |
| Wadsworth, Irene.....   | River Falls.....  | Pierce.     |
| Wanzer, Nita.....       | Eau Claire.....   | Eau Claire. |
| Weaver, Isabel.....     | Watertown.....    | Jefferson.  |
| Wyman, Pearl.....       | River Falls.....  | Pierce.     |
| Zech, Anna.....         | Reedsburg.....    | Sauk.       |
| Zimmerman, Anna.....    | Milford.....      | Jefferson.  |



*Statistical Tables.*

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1897.

|                 |   |             |             |
|-----------------|---|-------------|-------------|
| 1896.<br>Oct. 1 | Balance .....                                       |             | \$16,457 08 |
| 1897.<br>May 1  | Appropriation Chap. 308, Laws 1897..                |             | 70,000 00   |
| Sept. 30        | Transferred from school building fund .....         |             | 159 53      |
|                 | Steward for sundries .....                          |             | 3,635 57    |
|                 | Steward for board and tuition .....                 |             | 96 00       |
|                 | Transferred for expenses of board of control .....  | \$1,130 95  |             |
|                 | Paid on account of current expenses this year ..... | 36,720 66   |             |
|                 | Balance appropriation in state treasury .....       | \$52,331 04 |             |
|                 | Balance in hands of steward .....                   | 165 53      | 52,496 57   |
|                 |   | \$90,348 18 | \$90,348 18 |

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1898.

|                    |  |             |             |
|--------------------|--|-------------|-------------|
| 1897.<br>Oct. 1.   | Balance .....                                    |             | \$52,496 57 |
| 1898.<br>Sept. 30. | Transferred from pipe organ fund...              |             | 37 00       |
| Sept. 30.          | Steward for board and tuition .....              |             | 120 00      |
| Sept. 30.          | Steward for sundries .....                       |             | 1,953 19    |
| Sept. 30.          | Transferred board of control fund ..             | \$840 00    |             |
| Sept. 30.          | Paia on account current expenses this year ..... | 33,815 85   |             |
| Sept. 30.          | Balance appropriation in state treasury ...      | \$19,831 69 |             |
| Sept. 30.          | Balance in hands of steward .....                | 119 22      | 19,950 91   |
|                    | Totals .....                                     | \$54,606 76 | \$54,606 76 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Wisconsin School for the Blind for*

| Classified Items.                                | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1896. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer'd<br>to this<br>account<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Barn, farm and garden.                           | \$1,976 90                          | \$1,330 19                       | .....   | \$3,307 09   |
| Clothing and expenses<br>of pupils .....         | 3 50                                | 85 41                            | .....   | 88 91        |
| Discounts .....                                  | .....                               | .....                            | .....   | .....        |
| Drug and medical de-<br>partment .....           | 14 40                               | 207 39                           | .....   | 221 79       |
| Engines and boilers....                          | 4,907 51                            | 289 49                           | .....   | 5,197 00     |
| Fire apparatus .....                             | 80 40                               | .....                            | .....   | 80 40        |
| Fuel .....                                       | 89 12                               | 2,560 40                         | \$35 00   | 2,684 52     |
| Furniture .....                                  | 3,770 75                            | 536 90                           | 35 00   | 4,307 65     |
| Gas and other lights...                          | 4,831 95                            | 581 35                           | .....   | 5,413 30     |
| House furnishing .....                           | 4,550 99                            | 833 27                           | 18 50   | 5,402 76     |
| Laundry .....                                    | 772 30                              | 245 66                           | .....   | 1,017 96     |
| Machinery and tools...                           | 225 07                              | 8 84                             | .....   | 233 91       |
| Means of instruction...                          | 7,327 53                            | 658 52                           | .....   | 7,986 05     |
| Miscellaneous .....                              | 162 85                              | 731 00                           | .....   | 893 85       |
| Officers' expenses .....                         | .....                               | 20 38                            | .....   | 20 38        |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph | 103 61                              | 304 34                           | .....   | 407 95       |
| Real estate including<br>buildings, etc .....    | 172,400 79                          | .....                            | 24,840 47   | 197,241 26   |
| Repairs and renewals..                           | 63 60                               | 3,480 86                         | .....   | 3,544 46     |
| Scraps .....                                     | .....                               | .....                            | 6 15  | 6 15         |
| Subsistence .....                                | 387 06                              | 7,656 30                         | 903 39  | 8,946 75     |
| Wages and salaries .....                         | .....                               | 13,862 77                        | .....   | 13,862 77    |
| Work department ....                             | 403 00                              | 3,358 77                         | .....   | 3,761 77     |
| Totals .....                                     | \$202,071 33                        | \$36,751 84                      | \$25,803 51   | \$264,626 68 |
| Discounts .....                                  | .....                               | 31 18                            | .....   | 232,717 85   |
|  |                                     | \$36,720 66                      |   |              |
| Net expenses .....                               | .....                               | .....                            | .....   | \$31,908 83  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary

*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES***the fiscal year ending September 30, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897.                            | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>account dur-<br>ing the<br>year. | Total.       | Gained. | Expended.   |
|--|--|--|--------------|---------|-------------|
| \$1,889 06   | \$410 68   | \$938 39   | \$3,238 13   | .....   | \$68 96     |
| 3 50   | 6 63   | .....  | 10 13        | .....   | 78 78       |
| .....  | .....  | 31 18  | 31 18        | \$31 18 | .....       |
| 13 70  | .....  | .....  | 13 70        | .....   | 208 09      |
| 4,870 62   | 100 00   | .....  | 4,970 62     | .....   | 226 38      |
| 80 40  | .....  | .....  | 80 40        | .....   | .....       |
| 244 80   | .....  | .....  | 244 80       | .....   | 2,439 72    |
| 4,181 98   | .....  | .....  | 4,181 98     | .....   | 125 67      |
| 4,708 93   | .....  | .....  | 4,708 93     | .....   | 704 37      |
| 4,632 88   | .....  | .....  | 4,632 88     | .....   | 769 88      |
| 906 67   | .....  | .....  | 906 67       | .....   | 21 29       |
| 216 91   | .....  | .....  | 216 91       | .....   | 17 00       |
| 7,798 96   | 22 75  | .....  | 7,821 71     | .....   | 164 34      |
| 149 06   | .....  | .....  | 149 06       | .....   | 744 79      |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....   | 20 38       |
| 171 84   | 1 40   | .....  | 173 24       | .....   | 234 71      |
| 196,841 26   | .....  | .....  | 196,841 26   | .....   | 400 00      |
| 12 70  | .....  | 6 15   | 18 85        | .....   | 3,525 61    |
| .....  | 6 15   | .....  | 6 15         | .....   | .....       |
| 658 31   | 27 00  | .....  | 685 31       | .....   | 8,261 44    |
| .....  | 26 21  | .....  | 26 21        | .....   | 13,836 56   |
| 616 48   | 3,034 75   | 18 50  | 3,669 73     | .....   | 92 04       |
| \$228,088 06   | \$3,635 57   | \$994 22   | \$232,717 85 | .....   | \$31,940 01 |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....   | .....       |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....   | 31 18       |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....   | \$31,908 83 |
| of State for salaries and expenses of the Board of Control.... | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....   | 1,130 95    |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....   | \$33,039 78 |

*Wisconsin School for the Blind.*

## STATEMENT OF

*At the Wisconsin School for the Blind for*

| CLASSIFIED ITEMS.                                 | Inventory<br>September<br>30th, 1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer'd<br>to this<br>account<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Barn, farm and garden.                            | \$1,889 06                            | \$1,077 30                       |   | \$2,966 36   |
| Clothing and expense of<br>pupils .....           | 3 50                                  | 104 20                           |   | 107 70       |
| Discounts .....                                   |                                       |                                  |   |              |
| Drug and medical de-<br>partment.....             | 13 70                                 | 165 80                           |   | 179 50       |
| Engines and boilers ....                          | 4,870 62                              | 223 36                           |   | 5,093 98     |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 80 40                                 |                                  |   | 80 40        |
| Fuel .....  | 244 80                                | 2,637 94                         |   | 2,882 74     |
| Furniture.....                                    | 4,181 98                              | 418 39                           |   | 4,600 37     |
| Gas and other lights....                          | 4,708 93                              | 109 91                           |   | 4,818 84     |
| House furnishing.....                             | 4,632 88                              | 1,123 85                         | \$11 75   | 5,768 48     |
| Laundry .....                                     | 996 67                                | 218 08                           |   | 1,214 75     |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 216 91                                | 3 80                             |   | 220 71       |
| Means of instruction....                          | 7,798 96                              | 1,484 17                         |   | 9,283 13     |
| Miscellaneous.....                                | 149 06                                | 702 88                           |   | 851 94       |
| Officers' expenses.....                           |                                       | 40 08                            |   | 40 08        |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 171 84                                | 260 91                           |   | 432 75       |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc.....     | 196,841 26                            |                                  | 3,463 00  | 200,304 26   |
| Repairs and renewals...                           | 12 70                                 | 1,263 68                         |   | 1,276 38     |
| Scraps.....                                       |                                       |                                  |   |              |
| Subsistence.....                                  | 658 31                                | 7,730 29                         | 1,261 80  | 9,650 40     |
| Wages and salaries.....                           |                                       | 13,966 77                        |   | 13,966 77    |
| Work department.....                              | 616 48                                | 1,447 71                         |   | 2,064 19     |
| Fire and boiler insur-<br>ance.....               |                                       | 840 00                           |   | 840 00       |
| Totals .....                                      | \$228,088 06                          | \$33,819 12                      | \$4,736 55  | \$266,643 73 |
| Discounts.....                                    |                                       | 20 82                            |   | 236,466 53   |
| Net expenses.....                                 |                                       | \$33,798 30                      |   | \$30,177 20  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary

*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES***the fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30th, 1898.                        | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Trans-<br>ferred from<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Total.       | Gained.  | Expended.   |
|--|--|--|--------------|----------|-------------|
| \$1,787 81   | \$555 60   | \$1,261 80   | \$3,605 21   | \$638 85 | .....       |
| 36 21  | .....  | .....  | 36 21        | .....    | \$71 49     |
| .....  | .....  | 20 82  | 20 82        | 20 82    | .....       |
| 11 30  | .....  | .....  | 11 30        | .....    | 168 20      |
| 4,895 00   | .....  | .....  | 4,895 00     | .....    | 198 98      |
| 80 40  | .....  | .....  | 80 40        | .....    | .....       |
| 134 20   | .....  | .....  | 134 20       | .....    | 2,748 54    |
| 4,498 61   | .....  | .....  | 4,498 61     | .....    | 101 76      |
| 4,712 05   | .....  | .....  | 4,712 05     | .....    | 106 79      |
| 4,923 34   | .....  | .....  | 4,923 34     | .....    | 845 14      |
| 1,061 79   | .....  | .....  | 1,061 79     | .....    | 152 96      |
| 216 83   | .....  | .....  | 216 83       | .....    | 3 88        |
| 9,235 20   | 21 00  | .....  | 9,256 20     | .....    | 26 93       |
| 187 43   | .....  | .....  | 187 43       | .....    | 664 51      |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....    | 40 08       |
| 54 41  | .....  | .....  | 54 41        | .....    | 378 34      |
| 200,304 26   | .....  | .....  | 200,304 26   | .....    | .....       |
| 12 87  | .....  | .....  | 12 87        | .....    | 1,263 51    |
| 523 79   | .....  | .....  | 523 79       | .....    | 9,126 61    |
| .....  | 15 18  | .....  | 15 18        | .....    | 13,951 59   |
| 543 47   | 1,361 41   | 11 75  | 1,916 63     | .....    | 147 56      |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....    | 840 00      |
| \$233,218 97   | \$1,953 19   | \$1,294 37   | \$236,466 53 | \$659 67 | \$30,836 87 |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....    | 659 67      |
| .....  | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....    | \$30,177 20 |
| of State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control ..... |  |  |              |          | 840 00      |
|  |  |  |              |          | \$31,017 20 |

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## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUNDS.

|   | Balance<br>available<br>Sept. 30,<br>1896. | Appropri-<br>ation 1897. | Expended<br>during the<br>biennial<br>period. | Balance<br>available<br>Sept. 30,<br>1898. |
|---|--|--------------------------|---|--|
| Water supply for fire<br>protection.....      | \$1,754 05                                 | .....                    | \$3 00  | \$1,751 05                                 |
| State circulating li-<br>brary for Blind..... | 783 39                                     | .....                    | .....   | 783 39                                     |
| School building .....                         | 10,801 65                                  | .....                    | 10,801 65                                     | .....                                      |
| Pipe organ .....                              | 3,500 00                                   | .....                    | 3,500 00                                      | .....                                      |
| Totals.....                                   | \$16,839 09                                | .....                    | \$14,304 65                                   | \$2,534 44                                 |

## STATEMENT OF MONEYS RECEIVED AT THIS INSTITUTION.

| Classification.                              | Year ending<br>Sept. 30, 1897. | Year ending<br>Sept. 30, 1898. |
|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Barn, farm and gardep.....                   | \$410 68                       | \$555 60                       |
| Board and tuition of pupils.....             | 96 00                          | 120 00                         |
| Clothing and expense.....                    | 6 63                           | .....                          |
| Engines and boilers.....                     | 100 00                         | .....                          |
| Means of instruction.....                    | 22 75                          | 21 00                          |
| Printing, postage, stationery and telegrams. | 1 40                           | .....                          |
| Scraps.....                                  | 6 15                           | .....                          |
| Subsistence.....                             | 27 00                          | .....                          |
| Wages and salaries.....                      | 26 21                          | 15 18                          |
| Work department.....                         | 3,034 75                       | 1,361 41                       |
| Totals.....                                  | \$3,731 57                     | \$2,073 19                     |

*Statistical Tables.*

## FARM AND GARDEN PRODUCTS.

| ARTICLES.          | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPTEMBER 30, 1897. |          | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPTEMBER 30, 1898. |            |
|--------------------|--|----------|--|------------|
|                    | Quantity.                                  | Amount.  | Quantity.                                  | Amount.    |
| Asparagus .....    | 175 lbs.                                   | \$14 00  | 106 lbs.                                   | \$2 12     |
| Beets .....        | 24 bu.                                     | 10 30    | 19 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                       | 6 03       |
| Blackberries ..... | 320 qts.                                   | 22 40    | 35 qts.                                    | 2 10       |
| Cabbage .....      | 100 no.                                    | 4 70     | 575 no.                                    | 17 75      |
| Carrots .....      | 21 bu.                                     | 8 40     | 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                       | 6 55       |
| Corn .....         | 71 doz.                                    | 3 55     | 106 doz.                                   | 6 20       |
| Cucumbers .....    | 24 doz.                                    | 1 92     | 8 doz.                                     | 40         |
| Currants .....     | 36 qts.                                    | 1 80     | 52 qts.                                    | 2 60       |
| Ground cherries..  | 34 qts.                                    | 3 40     | .....                                      | .....      |
| Hay .....          | .....                                      | .....    | 3 tons.                                    | 15 00      |
| Lettuce .....      | 5 bas.                                     | 50       | 12 doz.                                    | 1 20       |
| Mangel wurzels ..  | 10 tons.                                   | 80 00    | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons.                      | 60 00      |
| Milk .....         | 50,744 lbs.                                | 519 44   | 76,612 lbs.                                | 1.140 18   |
| Onions .....       | 17 doz.                                    | 96       | 21 doz.                                    | 63         |
| Onions .....       | .....                                      | .....    | 4 bu.                                      | 2 60       |
| Parsnips .....     | 19 bu.                                     | 11 40    | 12 bu.                                     | 7 20       |
| Peas .....         | 6 bu.                                      | 5 20     | 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                        | 1 95       |
| Pieplant .....     | 410 lbs.                                   | 12 30    | 276 lbs.                                   | 5 52       |
| Pickles .....      | 4,275 no                                   | 10 69    | .....                                      | .....      |
| Pork .....         | 1,340 lbs.                                 | 107 20   | .....                                      | .....      |
| Radishes .....     | 318 doz.                                   | 9 48     | 135 doz.                                   | 4 05       |
| Raspberries. ....  | 78 qts.                                    | 7 80     | 77 qts.                                    | 3 85       |
| Salsify .....      | .....                                      | .....    | 5 bu.                                      | 2 00       |
| Squash .....       | 7 doz.                                     | 1 75     | .....                                      | .....      |
| String beans.....  | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                        | 2 80     | 48 $\frac{1}{4}$ bu.                       | 1 90       |
| Tomatoes .....     | 2,550 lbs.                                 | 26 00    | 19,09 lbs.                                 | 28 67      |
| Tomatoes .....     | .....                                      | .....    | 5 bu.                                      | 1 25       |
| Turnips .....      | .....                                      | .....    | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                        | 2 05       |
| Wood .....         | 10 cds.                                    | 35 00    | .....                                      | .....      |
| Totals .....       | .....                                      | \$900 99 | .....                                      | \$1,321 80 |





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**EIGHTH BIENNIAL REPORT**

**OF THE**

**Industrial School for Boys**

**FOR THE**

**Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.**

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## OFFICERS.

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CHAS. O. MERICA..... SUPERINTENDENT AND STEWARD.  
J. K. MCGREGOR ..... ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.  
E. F. BOWMAN ..... ASSISTANT STEWARD.  
ALICE WHITE MERICA ..... MATRON.  
H. R. RAWSON ..... STATE AGENT.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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### *To the State Board of Control:*

I hereby submit to you the biennial report of the Wisconsin Industrial School for Boys, for the two fiscal years ending September 30th, 1898.

#### CHANGE OF ADMINISTRATION.

The present superintendent was placed in charge of the school thirteen months after the beginning of the biennial period. The difficulties of making a descriptive and helpful report, other than the simple giving of statistics, were considerably increased by this change. The superintendent was given entire charge of appointments to positions in the school, a power necessary for successful control. Few changes were made in the corps of employes, and only two by removal. The co-operation of officers and employes has been given earnestly in most cases, and there is a growing increase in the intelligent appreciation of the character of the work required.

#### HEALTH.

The general health of the boys has been excellent. The services rendered by the attending physician as well as the drug bill, has been considerably decreased during the last year. Ordinary boyish complaints are treated in the family, and the services of the physician are rendered only upon call by the family man or matron approved by the superintendent. A physician's record is kept, in which the attending physician notes every case treated, the name of the boy, the date, and treatment.

#### DISCIPLINE.

A chief element in an industrial school is its discipline. A school does the work for which it was created, in proportion as

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its discipline is suited to its conditions. It is not a jail, nor a place of detention, but a place where a boy, uncontrollable at home, finds order and control his daily atmosphere. The discipline, therefore, does not consist of punishment, angrily and spasmodically administered, but of a steady, even-tempered insistence upon a boy's walking along right lines, made comparatively easy for him to find. Regularity of living, the formation of habits of industry, and the removal of often-times nagging temptations to wrong doing, are the lines along which the boy must move to better manhood.

#### PUNISHMENT.

Many good people seriously believe that an industrial school should be the possessor of some secret, but blessed and beautiful system, whereby a boy, a terror to his family and neighbors, from dear love for the officers of the school, entire strangers to him, would at once cease his meanness and become docile and lamblike. This school has not discovered the secret. Various modes of punishment are employed, suited to the offense, and to the age and disposition of the boy. But whatever the mode, an offense that is committed wilfully is followed by swift and sure punishment: All cases of corporal punishment are reported to the superintendent and the merits of the case investigated. While it is believed here that whipping will always continue to be the best method of severe punishment, the number of such punishment has been greatly decreased during the last year, until now the number of whippings is only about four a week.

#### THE GRADING SYSTEM.

Since December 1st, 1897, the school has used what is called "The Demerit System." Upon entering the school each boy is given from twenty to sixty demerits, based upon a careful study of the evidence in the commitment papers and the history of the boy. One of these he removes each month in which he receives no report for misconduct. A report in any month adds

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to the number of demerits. The system is cumulative, allowing a boy to remove an extra demerit for each successive quarter in which he receives no reports. Extra demerits are also removed for especial merit in school or at work. Reports are made daily to the superintendent and an accurate record is kept of every boy's conduct.

PAROLE.

November 1st, 1897, the Board meeting for parole purposes was abolished by the State Board of Control. Parole is no longer granted upon petition, but only upon recommendation by the superintendent. The mode of parole is as follows: When, by good conduct, a boy has removed all his demerits his name is given to the field agent, who visits his home. Careful investigation is made into the fitness of the home and the probabilities of the boy's falling into his old ways and among his old companions. If the home is found to be a proper one, and we are always prejudiced in its favor, the boy's name is sent to the Board of Control, with a description of the case, when he is passed upon according to the law and sent to his home.

HOMELESS BOYS.

A large number of boys who are sent to the school are homeless or come from vicious homes. Instead of allowing them to congest in the institution, the Board has inaugurated a new policy. Homes are found by the field agent, carefully investigated as to their needs and character, and suitable boys are placed therein. During the last year about sixty boys have been thus provided for, nearly all of whom are doing very well, indeed.

FUTURE HISTORY OF BOYS.

Increased care is being taken in looking after paroled boys. This is done by two methods. Boys are required to write us at least once a quarter, stating in detail what they are doing. These

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letters are kept on file and a separate record of dates of letters received and answered is also kept. By this means, the whereabouts of the boys is always known. The field agent visits each boy at least once a quarter, giving such counsel and encouragement as is needed. An accurate account of all these visits is kept in the agent's record, so that they can be referred to at any time.

This work of the field agent at present somewhat increases the per capita cost of running the school, as it lowers the population without greatly lessening expenses. But the correctness of the system is seen in the very low percentage of boys returned.

#### INDUSTRIES.

The school maintains a large number of varied industries. It, however, sells few products, as the work is largely for our own needs. The boys make their own clothing, shoes and socks, run their own laundry, do the general repair work for the school, and furnish all the labor for the farm and garden. The distribution of labor is shown in the statistical tables. Some boys learn trades, but the prevailing notion that all boys, or that any considerable number, can learn trades here that they will follow through life is incorrect.

#### HOURS OF EMPLOYMENT.

The active work of the day is divided into four sessions of two hours each. Each boy attends school two of these sessions and works two. Saturday forenoon is devoted to letter writing, and Saturday afternoon is a half-holiday.

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

December 1st, 1897, upon my recommendation, the position of principal of the school has changed to that of assistant superintendent, and Mr. J. K. McGregor, of Eau Claire, was appointed to the place. Professor McGregor has charge of the

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educational work, and his high standing among the educators of the state gives assurance of excellent work in this department. For further information, see the report of assistant superintendent.

#### THE MANUAL TRAINING DEPARTMENT.

This department has been moved from the carpenter shop to the commodious basement of the school house. This was done to give more room, but chiefly to divorce it from the trade department and annex it to the school, where it properly belongs. The object of manual training is not to make tables, stands, etc., but to bring about the same development that all educational efforts seek. When properly organized, each grade in the school will be given two sessions a week in this department, all pupils being admitted to sloyd work. Shop work, both in wood and iron, is included in the course, for those who develop fitness for it.

#### THE FARM AND GARDEN.

The last year has been one of unusual plenty, large quantities of fruit and vegetables having been produced. Of the latter, of such as are suited to our soil, enough has been raised to supply the entire needs of the school. A much larger quantity than usual, both of fruits and vegetables, has been stored for winter use.

#### REPAIRS AND RENEWALS.

Many of the buildings are old and constantly demand repair. Windows, doors, floors and roofs have demanded much attention. Chief among the items in repairs and renewals, however, has been that of the closets in the cottages. These were almost all of them out of repair and unsanitary. Nothing remained to be done in many instances but to replace them with new ones. There are still several that will need to be replaced within a year.

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## IMPROVEMENTS.

I gratefully call attention to the fact that the following improvements, recommended to your Board by my predecessor in the last biennial report, have been carried out.

A central heating plant has been installed. Shower baths have been placed in each family building. A room has been set aside for a warming room, which, though inadequate, is an improvement. A central yard closet has been built.

## THE FIRE.

March 25th, 1898, the institution suffered from a disastrous fire. At 6:15 p. m. flames were seen in the tailor shop, located over the boiler room, in the third story of the old shop building. This was a structure 320x38 feet, three stories high, with stone walls. Every effort was made to save it, but the location of the fire above the pumps at once cut off the supply of water, and thus rendered futile all efforts at fighting it. The loss in building and stock estimated at \$45,000.00.

## NEW BUILDINGS.

To take the place of the buildings destroyed by fire the Board provided for the erection of three others at a cost of about \$50,000.00. A separate power-house, used for no other purpose than that which its name implies; a laundry building, equipped with a full set of F. M. Watkins machinery; a general dining room and bakery and store. The first two are already completed. The latter will be ready for occupancy about December 1st, and upon the completion the system of carrying the boys' food from a central kitchen to the distant family dining rooms will be abandoned. It is expected that much advantage will result from the change, both as to the quality of the food and as to the quantity used.

The second story of the laundry building has been fitted up as a carpenter shop, that of the general dining hall as a chapel



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and concert hall, and that of the bakery and kitchen will be used for three shop rooms. All these are large and well suited to their purposes.

## RECOMMENDATIONS.

One of the most important and pressing improvements needed is a provision for continuous expenditure of larger sums for educational and amusement purposes. Eighty per cent. of the boys crave reading material. Of course their unaided selection in most instances would be vicious, but few circumstances offer opportunities for more easily suppressing bad literature and creating a taste for that which is good than detention in such a school as this. The daily demand for books is ten times greater than our ability to supply. The same may be said of concerts, lectures, etc. Cheap shows are prevailing causes of youthful wrong doing. If the boys are to be taught to love better things, it must be done by giving them an opportunity to learn better things.

It has long been recognized that music, especially singing, is an important feature in reformatory work. I am compelled to say that we have the poorest singing and do less to improve it of any of the similar institutions that I have visited. Our instructor, a capable man, is employed at other services during the entire working day, and our total expenditure in the teaching of singing is the \$5.00 a month extra that we pay him for drilling the choir at odd hours. I would recommend the employment of a high grade instructor at a good salary, who will devote his entire time to this work, and the expenditure of a sufficient sum of money in material to properly maintain the department at a high standard.

A telephone system connecting all buildings, shops, and employees' quarters with the main office is greatly needed. Any one familiar with our work knows how necessary it is at times to be in instant communication with all the employees on the ground, or for an employee to communicate quickly with the

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office. The system should not include a central switch board, but simply means of communication to and from the office.

Under repairs and renewals attention was called to the conditions of many of the older buildings. The roofs of six family buildings and three barns will have to be thoroughly overhauled, if not entirely replaced in some instances, next summer. Many floors in the same buildings will also have to be replaced. The building of a general dining hall will leave the family dining rooms vacant. I would recommend that these be suitably arranged for dormitories for honor boys, thus providing a good method of discipline in the family and at the same time stopping the unsanitary crowding in the dormitories of the six older buildings. This will enable us to abolish every "double decker" bed—relics of generations gone by.

The building of a new chapel and concert hall will leave the old chapel in the third story of the administration building vacant. I would recommend that this be partitioned off into suitable rooms for officers' quarters. These will take the place of the officers' dormitory destroyed by the fire.

In building the school house no system of ventilation was placed therein. At times the conditions are entirely unsanitary. The matter should receive the attention of a skillful architect, and a suitable system be provided for.

The front fence has long been an eye sore, and by another spring will scarcely be a subject of recommendation. I should be glad to be of the number of those successful superintendents who have abolished yard fences, walls and bars; but while the number of attempts to escape during the last year were only 35, as compared with 126 in 1896-7, and 130 in 1895-6, we still believe that the adoption of such a radical change for this school would be to cultivate more sentiment at the expense of the health and usefulness of the officers, as well as the discipline of the boys. I would therefore recommend the erection of a heavy wire fence eight feet high around the front of the yard from the corner of Number ten to the stone barn. The fences upon the

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farm are in such a poor condition as to be very unsightly, besides preventing our obtaining the benefits of the pasturage afforded. At least 400 rods of good, smooth wire fence should be built during the next two years.

## PROSPECTIVE.

We believe in our work, without being mere enthusiasts. Much that we do seems to be failure, much that we have done we are sure now might have been done better otherwise. Some boys that leave us become very bad, a good many may never achieve greatness by their goodness. Nevertheless most of them are helped. When we consider the broken, vicious, or careless homes; when we consider the succession of unkempt crime-caught and vice-taught lads who generally come to us, we may not be satisfied, but we take up our work with hope.

In conclusion permit me to thank you for your uniform kindness shown me, for the enlarged powers conferred upon me, for your wise counsel and the absence of nagging interference, and to express my confidence in our future mutual advancement in the work.

CHAS. O. MERICA,  
*Superintendent.*

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*Movement of population.*

|   | 1897.       | 1898.       |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Number enrolled October 1, 1896 and 1897.....   | 328         | 344         |
| Received by commitment.....                     | 169         | 137         |
| Returned from out on parole.....                | 43          | 34          |
|   | <hr/> 540   | <hr/> 515   |
| Discharged, not properly committed.....         |             | 1           |
| Died.....                                       | 1           |             |
| Discharged, turned over to sheriff.....         |             | 1           |
| Discharged, of age.....                         | 1           |             |
| Escaped.....                                    | 14          | 9           |
| Number out on writ of habeas corpus.....        | 2           |             |
| Released on parole.....                         | 176         | 199         |
| Transferred to state public school, Sparta..... | 2           |             |
|   | <hr/> 196   | <hr/> 210   |
| On-roll October 1st.....                        | <hr/> 344   | <hr/> 305   |
| Average number of boys during year.....         | 372         | 307         |
| Highest number of boys at any one time.....     | 366         | 345         |
| Lowest number of boys at any one time.....      | 329         | 285         |
| Total number since July, 1860.....              | <hr/> 4,271 | <hr/> 4,408 |
| Total number dismissed, escaped and died.....   | 3,927       | 4,103       |
| Leaving on roll as above.....                   | <hr/> 344   | <hr/> 305   |

*Statistical Tables.*

*Nationality of parents of boys received during the biennial period  
ending September 30th, 1898.*

|                          |     |                        |     |
|--------------------------|-----|------------------------|-----|
| American .....           | 68  | German .....           | 90  |
| American-Canadian .....  | 1   | German-Irish .....     | 4   |
| American-English .....   | 1   | German-Norwegian ..... | 1   |
| American-German .....    | 3   | Hebrew .....           | 1   |
| American-Norwegian ..... | 2   | Indian .....           | 1   |
| American-Swiss .....     | 1   | Indian-halfbreed ..... | 2   |
| Belgian .....            | 2   | Irish .....            | 22  |
| Bohemian .....           | 4   | Irish-Scotch .....     | 1   |
| Canadian .....           | 2   | Italian .....          | 2   |
| Canadian-German .....    | 1   | Jew-Russian .....      | 1   |
| Danish .....             | 3   | Negro .....            | 2   |
| Danish-Irish .....       | 1   | Norwegian .....        | 9   |
| Dutch .....              | 4   | Polish .....           | 23  |
| Dutch-Irish .....        | 1   | Russian .....          | 1   |
| Dutch-Scotch .....       | 1   | Scandinavian .....     | 3   |
| English .....            | 16  | Scotch .....           | 3   |
| English-German .....     | 3   | Swiss .....            | 1   |
| English-French .....     | 1   | Swede .....            | 5   |
| English-Irish .....      | 1   | Unknown .....          | 8   |
| French .....             | 3   | Welsh .....            | 1   |
| French-German .....      | 5   |                        |     |
| French-Swedish .....     | - 1 |                        | 306 |

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*Social and domestic relations.*

|                          |     |                   |     |
|--------------------------|-----|-------------------|-----|
| Both parents living..... | 148 | Father only ..... | 49  |
| Parents separated .....  | 29  | Unknown .....     | 9   |
| No parents.....          | 20  |                   |     |
| Mother only.....         | 51  |                   | 306 |

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*Birthplace of inmates.*

|                |    |                   |     |
|----------------|----|-------------------|-----|
| Canada .....   | 1  | Minnesota.....    | 6   |
| Colorado.....  | 1  | New Jersey.....   | 1   |
| Dakota .....   | 4  | New York.....     | 10  |
| England .....  | 1  | Norway .....      | 3   |
| Germany.....   | 15 | Ohio.....         | 2   |
| Illinois.....  | 7  | Pennsylvania..... | 4   |
| Indiana.....   | 4  | Poland.....       | 10  |
| Iowa .....     | 2  | Russia .....      | 1   |
| Italy.....     | 1  | Sweden .....      | 3   |
| Kentucky ..... | 1  | Unknown .....     | 13  |
| Maine.....     | 1  | Wisconsin.....    | 205 |
| Michigan ..... | 7  |                   |     |
| Montana .....  | 1  |                   | 306 |
| Missouri ..... | 2  |                   |     |

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*Statistical Tables.**Boys committed from the different counties, for what offenses, and their ages when committed.*

|                  | OFFENSES.               |                  |          |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  | AGE OF BOYS WHEN COMMITTED. |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|--------|---------|--|------------------------------------|----------|------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                  | Total number committed. | Incorrigibility. | Larceny. | Burglary. | Vagrancy. | Attempted rape and rape. | Carrying concealed weapons. | Shooting a boy. | Assault. | Perjury. | Arson. | Sodomy. | Obtaining money and goods under false pretenses. | Malicious destruction of property. | Forgery. | Highway robbery. | 8 to 9 years.               | 9 to 10 years. | 10 to 11 years. | 11 to 12 years. | 12 to 13 years. | 13 to 14 years. | 14 to 15 years. | 15 to 16 years. | 16 to 17 years. | 17 to 18 years. | 18 to 19 years. | 19 to 20 years. |
| Ashland.....     | 7                       | 4                | 3        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 1              | 1               |                 |                 | 1               | 3               | 2               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Barron.....      | 6                       | 5                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                | 1               | 1               |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               | 3               |                 |                 |
| Bayfield.....    | 4                       | 4                | 1        |           |           | 1                        |                             |                 |          |          | 1      |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                | 1               | 2               |                 |                 | 4               | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |
| Brown.....       | 9                       | 1                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                | 1               | 1               |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |
| Calumet.....     | 13                      | 1                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Chippewa.....    | 8                       | 3                | 1        | 3         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    | 1        |                  |                             |                | 1               |                 |                 |                 | 3               |                 | 2               | 1               | 1               |                 |
| Clark.....       | 3                       | 1                | 1        |           |           | 1                        |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Crawford.....    | 1                       | 1                |          | 1         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Dane.....        | 3                       | 2                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 2               |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Dodge.....       | 3                       | 1                | 2        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                | 1               |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Door.....        | 3                       | 1                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 1               |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Douglas.....     | 14                      | 5                | 8        |           |           |                          |                             | 1               |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  | 1                           |                | 3               | 2               | 2               | 5               |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Dunn.....        | 3                       | 2                | 2        | 1         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 | 2               |                 |                 |
| Eau Claire.....  | 3                       | 2                | 2        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        | 1       |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |
| Fond du Lac..... | 7                       | 2                | 2        | 2         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          | 1                |                             | 1              | 1               |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               | 2               |                 |                 |                 |
| Grant.....       | 4                       | 2                | 2        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                | 1               |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Green.....       | 2                       | 1                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Green Lake.....  | 2                       |                  | 1        | 1         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Iron.....        | 1                       |                  | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Jackson.....     | 2                       | 2                |          |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Jefferson.....   | 6                       | 5                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 2              |                 | 1               |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 | 2               |                 |                 |
| Juneau.....      | 1                       | 1                |          |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| La Crosse.....   | 12                      | 6                | 3        | 3         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 1              | 2               | 4               | 3               |                 | 2               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Langlade.....    | 3                       | 2                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Lincoln.....     | 1                       |                  | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Manitowoc.....   | 5                       | 2                |          |           |           |                          |                             | 2               |          |          |        |         | 1  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               | 2               |                 |                 |                 |
| Marathon.....    | 4                       | 1                | 2        | 1         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 1               |                 |                 | 1               | 2               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Marinette.....   | 3                       | 1                | 1        | 1         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |
| Milwaukee.....   | 67                      | 2                | 36       | 19        | 4         | 2                        |                             |                 |          |          | 2      |         |  | 2                                  |          |                  |                             | 1              | 3               | 6               | 6               | 11              | 3               | 11              | 11              | 4               | 1               |                 |
| Monroe.....      | 7                       | 4                | 3        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 2               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Oconto.....      | 3                       |                  | 1        |           | 1         | 1                        |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Oneida.....      | 1                       | 1                |          |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Outagamie.....   | 12                      | 5                | 7        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 1              | 2               | 1               | 2               | 2               |                 | 2               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |
| Polk.....        | 3                       | 2                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |
| Portage.....     | 13                      | 3                | 3        | 4         | 1         |                          |                             | 1               |          |          |        | 1       |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 1              | 3               | 2               | 2               | 2               | 1               | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |
| Price.....       | 1                       |                  | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Racine.....      | 4                       | 1                | 1        | 2         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 3               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Richland.....    | 1                       | 1                |          |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Rock.....        | 12                      | 7                | 4        |           | 1         |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 2              | 1               |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 4               | 2               | 1               | 1               |                 |
| St. Croix.....   | 4                       | 1                | 3        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |
| Sauk.....        | 3                       | 2                | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 1              |                 | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Sawyer.....      | 1                       |                  | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Shawano.....     | 2                       |                  | 1        |           |           |                          |                             | 1               |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 | 1               |                 |
| Sheboygan.....   | 5                       | 3                | 2        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 1               | 1               |                 | 1               | 2               |                 |                 | 1               |                 |
| Taylor.....      | 6                       |                  | 2        | 4         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |
| Trempealeau..... | 1                       | 1                |          |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Vernon.....      | 7                       | 2                | 1        | 1         |           | 3                        |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 1               | 1               | 1               | 3               | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Walworth.....    | 3                       | 1                | 2        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             | 1              |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Waukesha.....    | 3                       | 1                | 1        | 1         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |
| Waupaca.....     | 4                       | 1                | 2        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 | 2               |                 |                 | 2               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Wausara.....     | 3                       |                  | 1        |           |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 | 2               |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Winnebago.....   | 9                       | 2                | 5        | 2         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 | 1               | 1               | 3               | 2               | 2               |                 | 1               |
| Wood.....        | 3                       |                  | 2        | 1         |           |                          |                             |                 |          |          |        |         |  |                                    |          |                  |                             |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 | 1               |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Totals.....      | 306                     | 96               | 126      | 49        | 7         | 4                        | 4                           | 1               | 7        | 1        | 3      | 2       | 1  | 2                                  | 2        | 1                | 1                           | 8              | 27              | 28              | 33              | 41              | 48              | 53              | 33              | 29              | 4               | 1               |

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*Division of labor at the close of the biennial period.*

|                              |    |                              |     |
|------------------------------|----|------------------------------|-----|
| Bakery.....                  | 14 | Paint shop .....             | 8   |
| Boot and shoe shop.....      | 19 | Pickets.....                 | 2   |
| Carpenter shop.....          | 4  | Sewing room .....            | 4   |
| Dining room, main building.. | 4  | School rooms.....            | 8   |
| Engine room .....            | 7  | Sock factory.....            | 53  |
| Family cottages .....        | 42 | Store.....                   | 1   |
| Garden.....                  | 30 | Tailor shop.....             | 23  |
| General work.....            | 30 | Teamsters, barn and farm w'k | 17  |
| Main building.....           | 7  | Yard .....                   | 4   |
| Officers' kitchen.....       | 8  | Laundry.....                 | 18  |
| Office .....                 | 2  |                              |     |
|                              |    | Total.....                   | 305 |

*Work done in boot and shoe factory during biennial period.*

|                                | 1897. | 1898. |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Pairs Sunday shoes made.....   |       | 751   |
| Pairs everyday shoes made..... |       | 925   |
| Pairs shoes repaired.....      |       | 1,290 |
| Pairs slippers made.....       |       | 6     |

*Work done in sock factory.*

|                                 | 1897. | 1898. |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Machine made socks, dozens..... |       | 85½   |
| Mittens, dozens.....            |       | 28    |



*Statistical Tables.**Work done in tailor shop.*

|                        | 1897-8 |                         | 1897-8 |
|------------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|
| Aprons.....            | 111    | Holders .....           | 106    |
| Blouses .....          | 179    | Overalls.....           | 514    |
| Caps.....              | 376    | Pantaloon, work.....    | 467    |
| Coats, Sunday.....     | 193    | Pantaloon, Sunday ..... | 388    |
| Coats, work.....       | 305    | Vests.....              | 164    |
| Garments repaired..... | 6,997  |                         |        |

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT.

To PROF. CHAS. O. MERICA, *Superintendent of the Industrial School for Boys:*

I herewith present to you the biennial report of the department of instruction for the two years ending September 30, 1898:

The pupils of this school have recently been divided into twelve school grades, number one indicating the lowest grade and number twelve the highest. The course of study covers a period of six years and includes, substantially, the work done below the high school in the better class of city schools, with the addition of elementary work in Book-Keeping, Civil Government, and Algebra. Regular promotions take place on July first and December first and special promotions at any time the good of the pupil seems to demand it. As we have no vacations, the six years of this school are the time equivalent of the eight years of the common school.

The following is the course of study referred to above:

## FIRST GRADE.

Reading: Primer. First half of reading by grades. First year. First half Appleton's First Reader.

Language: Every oral or written lesson must be a lesson in the correct use of language. Exercises especially arranged to correct faulty expressions. Use of capitals, periods, and interrogation points taught and practiced.

Arithmetic: Simple operations, mental and written, to Sec. III, Arithmetic by grades, Book I.

Spelling: All words of reading lessons.

Penmanship: Daily lessons, Spencerian No. 1, Vertical System.

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## SECOND GRADE.

Reading: Second half of reading by grades. First year. Second half of Appleton's First Reader, Lane's Stories for Children, Around the World, Harper's First Reader.

Language: Use subject matter of reading lessons for language lessons. Have pupils copy and reproduce suitable parts of them. Teach memory jems, write them correctly, and have pupils recite them in concert for opening exercises occasionally. Notice errors most commonly made and plan work to correct them.

Arithmetic: Finish Book I. Daily reviews and drills.

Penmanship: Same as first grade.

## THIRD GRADE.

Reading: First half of Harper's Second Reader. Appleton's Second Reader. Fables and Folk Stories. Feathers and Furs.

Language: Use of correct forms. Copying sentences, with special attention to capitals and terminal marks. Dictation exercises, corrected at time of writing. Story reproduction. Special work for correct use of *is* and *are*; *was* and *were*; *has* and *have*; *this* and *these*; *that* and *those*, etc.

Arithmetic: To Sec. IV, Book II. Drill on previous work. Insist on neat work and accurate statements as well as on correct results.

Geography: Oral lessons and talks on geographical subjects. Exercises in drawing, leading to interpretation of maps and to map drawing. Teach kinds of lines, directions, lengths, etc. Shape of earth. Continents and oceans named and located.

Penmanship: Book No. II.

## FOURTH GRADE.

Reading: First half of Harper's Second Reader. Reading by grades, second year. Stories of Great Americans for Little Americans.

Language: Continue as in third grade. Dictations and observation work. Reproduction of substance of reading and other lessons. Stories. Letters. Use of comma, quotation marks and terminal marks. Formation of plural with *s* or *es* added to singular form. Correct use of parts of verbs with which mistakes are likely to occur. such as *saw*, *see*, *break*, *broken*, *went*, *gone*, *come*, *came*, *hear*, *heard*, etc.

Arithmetic: Finish Book II. Drill and review frequently. Aim to secure neatness, speed and accuracy. Prefer mental to written work.

Geography: Points of compass. Directions on globes and maps. Teach rivers, mountains, lakes, cities, etc., on map of United States.

Penmanship: No. II. Make every written exercise an exercise in penmanship.

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*Principal's Report.*

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## FIFTH GRADE.

Reading: First half of Harper's Third Reader. Reading by Grades. Third year. Stories Mother Nature Told Her Children.

Geography: Shape of Earth. Divisions of surface into zones and continents. Position and shape of divisions. Map of Wisconsin.

Language: Maxwell's First Book in English. Part I. Keep up work in reproduction of stories told and matter read. Correct errors in capitalization, punctuation etc.

Arithmetic: To Sec. V, Book III.

Penmanship: No. III.

## SIXTH GRADE.

Reading: Second half of Harper's Third Reader. Story of Henry Clay. Historical Reader. Wings and Fins.

Geography: Werner's Introductory, to Alaska, page 102.

Language: Maxwell's First Book in English. Part II, completed. Continue supplementary work as in Fifth Grade.

Arithmetic: Finish Book III. Use many problems not found in text, selected or made with reference to the needs of your class.

Spelling: All words used.

Penmanship: No. III.

## SEVENTH GRADE.

Reading: First half of Harper's Fourth Reader. Snow Bound. Story of George Washington. Plyers and Creepers.

Language: Maxwell's Lessons in English, Part III.

Geography: Finish Werner's Introductory Geography.

Physiology: To page 60, Smith's Primer.

Arithmetic: To Sec. VI, Book IV.

Spelling: As in previous grades.

Penmanship: No. IV.

## EIGHTH GRADE.

Reading: Second half of Harper's Fourth Reader. Lady of the Lake. Story of Abraham Lincoln. Story of Our Country.

Language: Maxwell's First Lessons in English to Chap. XXI. Reproductions. Abstracts. Reviews. Composition. Letter Writing. Business Forms.

Geography: Warren's School Geography, 174 pp.

Physiology: Finish Primer.

Arithmetic: Finish Book IV, and to Sec. IV, Book V.

Spelling: All words used.

Penmanship: Book IV.

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## NINTH GRADE.

Reading: American Classics. Story of Franklin. Carpenter's Geographical Reader, Asia. Sketch Book.

Language: Maxwell's Introductory Lessons in English, to XXI.

Geography: Finish Warren's School Geography.

Physiology: To page 98, Smith's "The Human Body."

Arithmetic: Finish Book V and to Sec. III of Book VI.

Spelling: All words used.

Penmanship: Book V.

## TENTH GRADE.

Reading: British Classics. Four Patriots. American Citizen. Claws and Hoofs.

Language: Maxwell's Int. Lessons in English to Chap XLI.

U. S. History: Discovery and settlement to Revolutionary War.

Physiology: Finish Smith's "The Human Body."

Arithmetic: Finish Book VI. Supplement where needed in all grades.

Spelling: All words used.

Penmanship: Book No. VI.

## ELEVENTH GRADE.

Reading: Hiawatha. Evangeline. Story of Webster. Kingsley's Greek Heroes.

Language: Maxwell's Introductory Lessons in English to LVI.

U. S. History: To Civil War.

Arithmetic: To Sec. V, Book VII, giving special attention to Profit and Loss, Commission, Insurance, Taxes, Duties, Interest and Discount.

Spelling: As in previous grades.

## TWELFTH GRADE.

Reading: Ivanhoe. Courtship of Miles Standish. A Hunting of the Deer.

Language: Maxwell's Introductory Lessons, finished. Composition writing in all grades.

U. S. History: Finish.

Arithmetic: Finish No. VII, and problems in elementary algebra in No. VIII.

U. S. Constitution: Townsend's Shorter Course.

Book-Keeping: Goodyear's Single Entry.

Last June a class of six completed the above course and received the school diploma as evidence of satisfactory work.

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*Principal's Report.*

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The number in the several grades are now as follows:

|             |    |               |    |
|-------------|----|---------------|----|
| First.....  | 26 | Seventh.....  | 29 |
| Second..... | 43 | Eighth.....   | 21 |
| Third.....  | 45 | Ninth.....    | 17 |
| Fourth..... | 28 | Tenth.....    | 18 |
| Fifth.....  | 28 | Eleventh..... | 12 |
| Sixth.....  | 27 | Twelfth.....  | 10 |

The total school enrollment is 294.

The work of erecting buildings to take the place of those destroyed last March has made the school attendance considerably less than would otherwise have been the case, and has called for extra exertion on the part of pupils and teachers to accomplish the work laid out. It is simple justice to say that a large proportion of the pupils have made an honest effort to make up for the time lost from school and that the teachers have always responded willingly to the calls for extra exertion on their part.

Respectfully submitted,

J. K. MCGREGOR,

*Principal.*

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## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND—1897.

|          |   |              |              |
|----------|---|--------------|--------------|
| 1896.    |   |              |              |
| Oct. 1   | Balance.....  |              | \$15,122 53  |
| 1897.    |   |              |              |
| Jan. 1   | From counties.....                                    |              | 7,874 76     |
| Feb. 4   | Authority to create indebtedness.....                 |              | 4,300 00     |
| May 1    | Appropriation, chap. 308, laws 1897.....              |              | 105,000 00   |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries.....                             |              | 721 56       |
| May 1    | Indebtedness authorized Feb. 4, 1897.....             | \$4,300 00   |              |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account of current expenses<br>this year..... | 64,322 79    |              |
|          | Transferred board control fund.....                   | 1,765 65     |              |
|          | Balance in state treasury \$62,541 30                 |              |              |
|          | Balance in hands of<br>steward..... 89 11             | 62,630 41    |              |
|          |   | \$133,018 85 | \$133,018 85 |

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND—1898.

|          |  |             |             |
|----------|--|-------------|-------------|
| 1897.    |  |             |             |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....  |             | \$62,630 41 |
| 1898.    |  |             |             |
| Jan. 1   | From counties .....                                    |             | 13,313 90   |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries .....                             |             | 2,438 52    |
| Sept. 30 | Overdraft .....  |             | 1,596 55    |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred board of control fund ...                  | \$1,765 00  |             |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account of current expenses<br>this year ..... | 78,214 38   |             |
| Sept. 30 | Total .....  | \$79,979 38 | \$79,979 38 |

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*Statistical Tables.*


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## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUNDS.

| Classified items.   | Balance<br>available<br>Sept. 30,<br>1896. | Appropri-<br>ation<br>1897. | Expended<br>during<br>biennial<br>period. | Balance<br>available<br>Sept. 30,<br>1898. |
|---|--|-----------------------------|---|--|
| Manual training department..  | \$2,471 06                                 |                             | \$427 27                                  | \$2,043 79                                 |
| Central heating plant baths<br>and improved sanitary appli-<br>ances..... |  | \$19,000 00                 | 18,773 66                                 | 226 34                                     |
| Totals.....   | \$2,471 06                                 | \$19,000 00                 | \$19,200 93                               | \$2,270 13                                 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Industrial School for Boys for*

| Classified Items.                                 | Inventory<br>September<br>30th, 1896. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer'd<br>to this<br>account<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Amusements.....                                   | \$876 80                              | \$415 46                         |   | \$1,292 26   |
| Armory.....                                       |                                       |                                  |   |              |
| Barn, farm and garden.                            | 9,398 80                              | 1,244 55                         |   | 10,643 35    |
| Boot and shoe factory..                           | 1,977 09                              | 2,092 14                         | \$1 50  | 4,070 73     |
| Clothing.....                                     | 1,448 94                              | 4,962 36                         | 2,013 87  | 8,425 17     |
| Discount.....                                     |                                       |                                  |   |              |
| Drug and medical de-<br>partment.....             | 18 70                                 | 808 82                           |   | 827 52       |
| Engines and boilers....                           | 4,470 10                              | 252 89                           |   | 4,722 99     |
| Elopers.....                                      |                                       | 454 92                           |   | 454 92       |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....      |                                       | 5 81                             |   | 5 81         |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 4,209 58                              |                                  |   | 4,209 58     |
| Fuel.....   | 1,743 70                              | 4,465 57                         |   | 6,209 27     |
| Furniture.....                                    | 4,879 90                              | 282 22                           | 152 40  | 5,314 52     |
| Gas and other lights...                           | 2,364 05                              | 777 35                           | 235 00  | 3,376 40     |
| Hides and pelts.....                              |                                       |                                  | 18 55   | 18 55        |
| House furnishing.....                             | 10,591 08                             | 3,613 39                         | 30 02   | 14,234 49    |
| Laundry.....                                      | 697 75                                | 505 92                           |   | 1,203 67     |
| Library.....                                      | 555 22                                | 32 12                            |   | 587 34       |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 1,679 45                              | 105 66                           |   | 1,785 11     |
| Means of instruction...                           | 1,633 67                              | 712 35                           |   | 2,346 02     |
| Miscellaneous.....                                |                                       | 808 31                           | 1 25  | 809 56       |
| Officers' expenses.....                           |                                       | 95 84                            |   | 95 84        |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 391 10                                | 590 06                           |   | 981 16       |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc.....     | 239,210 41                            |                                  | 1,950 00  | 241,160 41   |
| Repairs and renewals...                           | 328 25                                | 5,631 11                         | 11 80   | 5,971 16     |
| Scraps.....                                       |                                       |                                  | 27 93   | 27 93        |
| Sock factory.....                                 | 1,468 83                              | 151 18                           |   | 1,620 01     |
| Subsistence.....                                  | 1,349 33                              | 14,448 79                        | 3,345 91  | 19,144 03    |
| Wages and salaries.....                           |                                       | 22,015 61                        |   | 22,015 61    |
| Totals.....                                       | \$289,292 75                          | \$64,472 43                      | \$7,788 23  | \$361,553 41 |
| Discounts and other<br>credits.....               |                                       | 158 64                           |   | 299,521 12   |
| Net expenses.....                                 |                                       | \$64,313 79                      |   | \$62,022 29  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of



*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES***the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30th, 1897.                         | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Trans-<br>ferred from<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.   |
|---|--|--|--------------|------------|-------------|
| \$782 39  |  |  | \$732 39     |            | \$509 87    |
| 10,240 95   | \$84 82  | \$3,364 46   | 13,690 23    | \$3,046 88 |             |
| 954 88  | 7 15   | 1,950 70   | 2,912 73     |            | 1,158 00    |
| 1,550 36  | 22 90  |  | 1,573 26     |            | 6,851 91    |
|   |  | 153 14   | 153 14       | 153 14     |             |
| 58 25   |  |  | 58 25        |            | 769 27      |
| 4,478 45  | 2 00   |  | 4,480 45     |            | 242 54      |
|   |  |  |              |            | 454 92      |
|   |  |  |              |            | 5 81        |
| 4,183 80  |  |  | 4,183 80     |            | 25 78       |
| 1,263 00  |  | 235 00   | 1,498 00     |            | 4,711 27    |
| 5,070 95  |  |  | 5,070 95     |            | 243 57      |
| 2,318 56  | 3 15   |  | 2,321 71     |            | 1,054 69    |
|   | 18 55  |  | 18 55        |            |             |
| 10,755 65   | 50   |  | 10,756 15    |            | 3,478 34    |
| 683 30  |  |  | 683 30       |            | 520 37      |
| 554 12  |  |  | 554 12       |            | 33 22       |
| 1,659 45  |  |  | 1,659 45     |            | 125 66      |
| 1,539 79  | 37 80  | 71 97  | 1,649 56     |            | 696 46      |
|   | 88 70  |  | 88 70        |            | 720 86      |
|   |  |  |              |            | 95 84       |
| 408 43  |  |  | 408 43       |            | 572 73      |
| 241,160 41  |  |  | 241,160 41   |            |             |
| 298 76  | 13 78  | 2,108 43   | 2,420 97     |            | 3,550 19    |
|   | 27 93  |  | 27 93        |            |             |
| 1,316 97  | 393 79   | 63 17  | 1,773 93     | 153 92     |             |
| 1,574 22  | 1 82   |  | 1,576 04     |            | 17,567 99   |
|   | 18 67  |  | 18 67        |            | 21,996 94   |
| \$290,852 69  | \$721 56   | \$7,946 87   | \$299,521 12 | \$3,353 94 | \$65,386 23 |
|   |  |  |              |            | 3,353 94    |
|   |  |  |              |            | \$62,032 29 |
| State for salaries and expenses of the Board of Control ..... |  |  |              |            | \$1,765 65  |
|   |  |  |              |            | \$63,797 94 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Industrial School for Boys for*

| Classified Items.                                | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer'd<br>to this<br>account<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Amusements.....                                  | \$782 39                            | \$338 29                         |   | \$1,120 68   |
| Armory.....                                      |                                     |                                  |   |              |
| Barn, farm and garden.                           | 10,240 95                           | 2,622 82                         |   | 12,863 77    |
| Boot and shoe factory ..                         | 954 88                              | 3,369 89                         |   | 4,324 77     |
| Clothing .....                                   | 1,550 36                            | 5,419 01                         | \$1,830 49  | 8,799 86     |
| Discount .....                                   |                                     |                                  |   |              |
| Drug and medical de-<br>partment .....           | 58 25                               | 594 86                           |   | 653 11       |
| Engines and boilers....                          | 4,478 45                            | 513 34                           |   | 4,991 79     |
| Elopers .....                                    |                                     | 423 05                           |   | 423 05       |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....     |                                     | 43 75                            |   | 43 75        |
| Fire apparatus.....                              | 4,183 80                            | 308 55                           |   | 4,492 35     |
| Fuel .....                                       | 1,263 00                            | 4,488 90                         |   | 5,751 90     |
| Furniture.....                                   | 5,070 95                            | 292 03                           |   | 5,362 98     |
| Gas and other lights...                          | 2,318 56                            | 966 49                           |   | 3,285 05     |
| Hides and pelts .....                            |                                     |                                  | 8 84  | 8 84         |
| House furnishing.....                            | 10,755 65                           | 3,493 03                         |   | 14,248 68    |
| Laundry .....                                    | 683 30                              | 721 37                           |   | 1,404 67     |
| Library .....                                    | 554 12                              | 38 10                            |   | 592 22       |
| Machinery and tools....                          | 1,659 45                            | 252 59                           |   | 1,912 04     |
| Means of instruction ..                          | 1,539 79                            | 335 56                           |   | 1,875 35     |
| Miscellaneous .....                              |                                     | 401 36                           |   | 401 36       |
| Officers' expenses.....                          |                                     | 1,240 93                         |   | 1,240 93     |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph | 408 43                              | 679 86                           |   | 1,088 29     |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc....     | 241,160 41                          |                                  | 18,775 87   | 259,936 28   |
| Repairs and renewals ..                          | 298 76                              | 9,512 04                         |   | 9,810 80     |
| Scraps .....                                     |                                     |                                  | 66 88   | 66 88        |
| Sock factory .....                               | 1,316 97                            | 650 76                           |   | 1,967 73     |
| Subsistence .....                                | 1,574 22                            | 16,375 86                        | 3,411 44  | 21,361 52    |
| Wages and salaries ....                          |                                     | 24,130 45                        |   | 24,130 45    |
| Fire and boiler insur-<br>ance.....              |                                     | 1,090 00                         |   | 1,090 00     |
| Totals .....                                     | \$290,852 69                        | \$78,302 89                      | \$24,093 52   | \$393,249 10 |
| Discounts and other<br>credits.....              |                                     | 187 36                           |   | 303,226 31   |
| Net expenses.....                                |                                     | \$78,115 53                      |   | \$90,022 79  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary

*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES***the fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1898.                             | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Trans-<br>ferred from<br>this ac-<br>count dur-<br>ing the year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.          |
|---|--|--|--------------|------------|--------------------|
| \$668 67  | \$1 25   | .....  | \$669 92     | .....      | \$450 76           |
| 10,351 85   | 1,708 56   | \$3,420 28   | 15,480 69    | \$2,616 92 | .....              |
| 848 07  | 16 00  | 1,778 94   | 2,643 01     | .....      | 1,681 76           |
| 6,103 69  | 22 59  | .....  | 6,126 28     | .....      | 2,673 58           |
| .....   | .....  | 185 66   | 185 66       | 185 66     | .....              |
| 21 95   | .....  | .....  | 21 95        | .....      | 631 16             |
| 242 19  | 121 00   | .....  | 363 19       | .....      | 4,628 60           |
| .....   | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....      | 423 05             |
| .....   | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....      | 43 75              |
| 1,387 40  | .....  | .....  | 1,387 40     | .....      | 3,104 95           |
| 819 00  | .....  | .....  | 819 00       | .....      | 4,932 90           |
| 4,085 15  | 18 15  | .....  | 4,103 30     | .....      | 1,259 68           |
| 92 42   | .....  | .....  | 92 42        | .....      | 3,192 63           |
| .....   | 8 84   | .....  | 8 84         | .....      | .....              |
| 6,365 85  | 118 75   | 1 70   | 6,486 30     | .....      | 7,762 38           |
| 248 72  | 1 25   | .....  | 249 97       | .....      | 1,154 70           |
| 557 10  | .....  | .....  | 557 10       | .....      | 35 12              |
| 202 10  | .....  | .....  | 202 10       | .....      | 1,709 94           |
| 1,334 73  | .....  | .....  | 1,334 73     | .....      | 540 62             |
| .....   | 1 55   | .....  | 1 55         | .....      | 399 81             |
| .....   | 5 48   | .....  | 5 48         | .....      | 1,235 45           |
| 741 09  | 12 16  | .....  | 753 25       | .....      | 335 04             |
| 225,161 28  | .....  | 34,775 00  | 259,936 28   | .....      | .....              |
| 215 05  | 37 52  | 66 88  | 319 45       | .....      | 9,491 35           |
| .....   | 66 88  | .....  | 66 88        | .....      | .....              |
| 477 08  | 128 25   | 51 55  | 656 88       | .....      | 1,310 85           |
| 584 39  | 100 00   | .....  | 684 39       | .....      | 20,677 13          |
| .....   | 70 29  | .....  | 70 29        | .....      | 24,060 16          |
| .....   | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....      | 1,090 00           |
| \$260,507 78  | \$2,438 52   | \$40,280 01  | \$303,226 31 | \$2,802 58 | \$92,825 37        |
| .....   | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....      | 2,802 58           |
| .....   | .....  | .....  | .....        | .....      | \$90,022 79        |
| of State for salaries and expenses of the Board of Control..... |  |  |              |            | \$1,765 00         |
|   |  |  |              |            | <u>\$91,787 79</u> |

*Industrial School for Boys.*

## STATEMENT OF MONEYS RECEIVED AT THIS INSTITUTION.

| Classification.                                   | Year ending<br>Sept. 30, 1897 | Year ending<br>Sept. 30, 1898. |
|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Amusements .....                                  | -                             | \$1 25                         |
| Barn, farm and garden .....                       | \$84 82                       | 1,708 56                       |
| Boot and shoe factory .....                       | 7 15                          | 16 00                          |
| Clothing .....                                    | 22 90                         | 22 59                          |
| Engines and boilers .....                         | 2 00                          | 121 00                         |
| Furniture .....                                   |                               | 18 15                          |
| Gas and other lights .....                        | 3 15                          |                                |
| Hides and pelts .....                             | 18 55                         | 8 84                           |
| House furnishing .....                            | 50                            | 118 75                         |
| Laundry .....                                     |                               | 1 25                           |
| Means of instruction .....                        | 37 80                         |                                |
| Miscellaneous .....                               | 88 70                         | 1 55                           |
| Officers' expenses .....                          |                               | 5 48                           |
| Printing, postage, stationery and telegraph ..... |                               | 12 16                          |
| Repairs and renewals .....                        | 13 78                         | 37 52                          |
| Scraps .....                                      | 27 93                         | 66 88                          |
| Sock factory .....                                | 393 79                        | 128 25                         |
| Subsistence .....                                 | 1 82                          | 100 00                         |
| Wages and salaries .....                          | 18 67                         | 70 29                          |
| Totals .....                                      | \$721 56                      | \$2,438 52                     |

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**EIGHTH BIENNIAL REPORT**

**OF THE**

**Wisconsin State Prison**

**FOR THE**

**Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.**

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### OFFICERS.

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|                                 |                       |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| JOHN J. ROBERTS,                | WARDEN.               |
| J. B. VOSBURGH,                 | DEPUTY WARDEN.        |
| JACOB FUSS,                     | CLERK.                |
| REV. GEO. HOWARD S. SOMERVILLE, | CHAPLAIN.             |
| REV. J. C. HARTMAN,             | CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN.    |
| G. F. MESSER. M. D.,            | PHYSICIAN.            |
| MISS PHOEBE C. GRIDER           | MATRON FEMALE PRISON. |

## WARDEN'S REPORT.

WAUPUN, Oct. 1st, 1898.

*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to submit herewith, the report of this prison for the two years from Oct. 1st, 1896 to Sept. 30th, 1898, also the reports of the prison physician and chaplains for the same period, giving all necessary information in their respective departments.

### *Population.*

|   |   |   |     |
|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of prisoners on hand Oct. 1st, 1896 was    | - | - | 582 |
| On hand at the close of first year, Sept. 30th, 1897  | - | - | 610 |
| On hand at the close of the 2d year, Sept. 30th, 1898 | - | - | 601 |
| Average population first year                         | - | - | 598 |
| Average population second year                        | - | - | 645 |

### IMPROVEMENTS.

Extensive improvements and additions have been made on prison farm. A tract of land, containing 48 acres and adjoining prison farm, has been purchased at a cost of \$4,250.00; a new barn has been built at a cost of about \$1,500.00, size of barn 60 feet in diameter, round, 9 foot basement and 18 foot posts from sills to eaves, with silo in center, 16 feet diameter. The old buildings have been moved to a better location near the new barn, and the old barn remodeled into a hog pen.

An addition to tailor shop has been built, and another story put on blacksmith shop, which is now occupied by the carpenter and paint shops. Also a new machine shop near engine room, cost about \$120.00.

The last legislature appropriated \$5,000.00 for new roofs on cell-rooms, which amount has been expended for that purpose, and these roofs and also the one on the female prison are now all in good condition.

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*Wisconsin State Prison.*

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## GRADING SYSTEM.

On February 10th, 1898, a system of grading was introduced at this prison, dividing all inmates into three grades. While not yet perfect in its details, I am pleased with the system, and have no doubt that it will be a great help in maintaining discipline among the inmates. The system, however, could be very much improved upon, if the warden had the power under the law, to make a better distinction in the granting of privileges to the different grades.

## ESCAPES.

Several attempts to escape were made during the past two years, only three of them being successful.

Albert Malotke, sent up from Dane county on a six months' sentence, escaped from prison farm July 3rd, 1897.

John W. Bott, sent up from Milwaukee county for five years also escaped from prison farm June 2, 1898, while at work on the new barn.

Frank McHugh, sent up from Milwaukee Co. for five years, escaped from the north cellroom on May 31st, 1897, by sawing through the iron ceiling in his cell; he is now confined in the Missouri state prison, and will be brought back here as soon as his term expires at that prison.

Jos. C. Bennett, who escaped from this prison February 29th, 1896, and referred to in my last report as having been brought back, was taken before the court and sentenced to serve another term of one year.

## UNITED STATES PRISONERS.

During the last term of the legislature a law was enacted (chapter 315) which provides that "no person hereafter sentenced to imprisonment by any court of the United States, whose term of sentence shall exceed eighteen months, shall be received at the state prison."



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*Warden's Report.*

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It seems to me that the passage of this law was unwise and uncalled for, depriving the prison of a revenue of about \$3,000.00 annually. The United States pay this institution for the care of all U. S. prisoners \$2.00 a week, also \$12.00 for Going out Suits, \$5.00 Going out money, and transportation to place of conviction, or bona fide residence; at the same time this class of prisoners can be employed at any kind of work except contract labor. This source of revenue has by this law, been taken away and given to other institutions, outside of the state. On October 1st, 1896, we had 28 U. S. prisoners, while at the date of this report, there only remain 13, with the prospects of the number decreasing rapidly, and in a very short time, but a few of U. S. prisoners will remain.

## CONTRACT.

The receipts for convict labor from M. D. Wells & Co. for the year ending Sept. 30th, 1897 was..... \$53,879 81  
 " " " " 1898 ..... 54,274 28

Our relations with the contractors, and there superintendents here, Maj. A. D. Pratt, remain pleasant and harmonious, and they have faithfully executed the provisions of their contract.

## TAILOR SHOP. •

The cash receipts from this shop, were for the year ending Sept. 30, 1897..... \$3,953 73  
 " " " " 1898 ..... 11,439 08

During the last year we have manufactured clothing in large quantities for other state institutions, which accounts for the increase in cash receipts of last year, over the year previous. The prisoners' clothing, including going out suits and overcoats, are also manufactured here. The net earnings of prisoners employed in tailor shop were 57 cents per day for the two years.

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*Wisconsin State Prison.*


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## KNITTING SHOP.

The financial results from this shop were not as good, but also show a marked improvement over previous years.

|                                       |   |   |   |   |               |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---------------|
| Cash receipts for the first year were | - | - | - | - | \$4,708.52    |
| Average earnings per day              | - | - | - | - | 8 5-7 cents.  |
| Number of days work done              | - | - | - | - | 14,163        |
| Cash receipts for the second year     | - | - | - | - | \$5,051.19    |
| Average earnings per day              | - | - | - | - | 15 1-7 cents. |
| Number of days work done              | - | - | - | - | 15,533        |

## INSANE PRISONERS.

A number of prisoners who became insane during their confinement, were transferred to the different State hospitals, and I am glad to be able to report, that but a very few of this class remain here, only two being locked up, both of them considered more incorrigible than insane.

## TRANSFERS.

Twenty-four of the younger class of prisoners were transferred from this prison to the new State Reformatory at Green Bay.

Referring to that part in the foregoing report regarding United States prisoners, I would request that steps be taken to have chapter 315 of the session laws of 1897 repealed.

The tabulated statements submitted herewith will show, that by applying the strictest business principles in every department, I have been enabled to feed and clothe the prisoners well. The discipline and the general conduct of the inmates has been very good during the past two years, and no serious trouble has occurred.

To the deputy warden and all the officers I am indebted for the efficient manner in which they have performed their duties, and also return my thanks to you, gentlemen, for the interest you have always manifested in the welfare of this institution.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. ROBERTS,

Warden.

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 1.

*Admissions and discharges.*

|   | Male. | Fe-<br>male. | Total. |
|---|-------|--------------|--------|
| Number confined Oct. 1, 1896 .....                        | 563   | 19           | 582    |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1897 .....      | 316   | 5            | 321    |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1898 .....      | 351   | 12           | 363    |
| Total .....   | 1,230 | 36           | 1,266  |
|   | Male. | Fe-<br>male. |        |
| Discharged during the year ending Sept.<br>30, 1897 ..... | 269   | 11           |        |
| Transferred to hospital, insane .....                     | 7     |              |        |
| Died .....  | 4     |              |        |
| Escaped .....   | 2     |              |        |
| Discharged during the year ending Sept.<br>30, 1898 ..... | 326   | 4            |        |
| Transferred to hospital, insane .....                     | 10    |              |        |
| Transferred to state reformatory .....                    | 24    |              |        |
| Died .....  | 7     |              |        |
| Escaped .....   | 1     |              |        |
|   |       | 650          | 15     |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1898 .....                            | 580   | 21           | 601    |

## Average number confined during the year:

|                                 |     |
|---------------------------------|-----|
| ending September 30, 1885 ..... | 443 |
| ending September 30, 1886 ..... | 458 |
| ending September 30, 1887 ..... | 448 |
| ending September 30, 1888 ..... | 441 |
| ending September 30, 1889 ..... | 463 |
| ending September 30, 1890 ..... | 523 |
| ending September 30, 1891 ..... | 535 |
| ending September 30, 1892 ..... | 519 |
| ending September 30, 1893 ..... | 537 |
| ending September 30, 1894 ..... | 609 |
| ending September 30, 1895 ..... | 625 |
| ending September 30, 1896 ..... | 606 |
| ending September 30, 1897 ..... | 598 |
| ending September 30, 1898 ..... | 645 |

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*Wisconsin State Prison.*


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TABLE NO. 2.

*Whole number of days spent in prison.*

|  | 1897.   |         | 1898.   |         |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| <i>Whole number of days during the year:</i> |         |         |         |         |
| Male .....                                   | 213,810 |         | 229,053 |         |
| Female .....                                 | 4,484   |         | 6,255   |         |
|  |         | 218,294 |         | 235,308 |
| <i>Lost time:</i>                            |         |         |         |         |
| Sundays and holidays .....                   | 35,836  |         | 33,950  |         |
| Sick in hospital .....                       | 3,749   |         | 4,038   |         |
| Sick in cell room .....                      | 1,109   |         | 1,659   |         |
| Solitary .....                               | 613     |         | 1,006   |         |
| Dark cell .....                              | 408     |         | 1,029   |         |
| Insane and idiotic .....                     | 695     |         | 771     |         |
| Out on order of court .....                  | 71      |         | 40      |         |
| No work .....                                | 4,793   |         | 5,153   |         |
| New men .....                                | 170     |         | 394     |         |
|  |         | 47,444  |         | 48,060  |
| <i>Labor not directly productive:</i>        |         |         |         |         |
| Inside gate .....                            | 511     |         |         |         |
| Janitors .....                               |         |         | 1,794   |         |
| Hospital attendants .....                    | 936     |         | 592     |         |
| Tier tenders and barber .....                | 5,407   |         | 5,961   |         |
| Main building .....                          | 1,221   |         | 1,623   |         |
| Tobacco shop .....                           | 610     |         | 610     |         |
| Kitchen .....                                | 5,016   |         | 6,065   |         |
| Dining rooms .....                           | 3,862   |         | 4,709   |         |
| Bakers .....                                 | 1,220   |         | 744     |         |
| Butchers .....                               | 607     |         | 1,271   |         |
| Laundry .....                                | 2,023   |         | 2,297   |         |
| Barn and garden .....                        | 1,651   |         | 1,559   |         |
| Farm .....                                   | 2,626   |         | 3,180   |         |
| Mending shop .....                           | 2,822   |         | 2,808   |         |
| Clothing department .....                    | 607     |         |         |         |
| Bean house .....                             | 6.0     |         | 962     |         |
| Yard .....                                   | 4,289   |         | 3,822   |         |
| Warden's residence .....                     | 305     |         |         |         |
| Female prison .....                          | 3,432   |         | 6,255   |         |
| Electric lights .....                        | 255     |         |         |         |
|  |         | 38,093  |         | 44,250  |
| <i>Productive labor:</i>                     |         |         |         |         |
| Contractors .....                            | 107,710 |         | 108,335 |         |
| Knitting shop, male .....                    | 13,111  |         | 15,533  |         |
| Knitting shop, female .....                  | 1,052   |         |         |         |
| Tailor shop .....                            | 7,340   |         | 14,251  |         |
| Engine and boilers .....                     | 1,211   |         | 1,712   |         |
| Electric light plant .....                   | 26      |         |         |         |
| Miscellaneous repairs .....                  | 2,305   |         | 3,167   |         |
|  |         | 132,757 |         | 142,998 |
| Total .....                                  |         | 218,294 |         | 235,308 |
| <i>Per cent. of:</i>                         |         |         |         |         |
| Lost time .....                              |         | 21.73   |         | 20.43   |
| Labor not productive .....                   |         | 17.45   |         | 18.79   |
| Labor productive .....                       |         | 60.82   |         | 60.78   |

## Statistical Tables.

TABLE NO. 3.

*Consolidated statement of convict labor for the year ending September 30, 1897.*

| Month.          | Number of days work done. | Average number per day. | Total number of hours. | Total number of days charged. |   |      | Amount received. |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|---|------|------------------|
| <b>1896.</b>    |                           |                         |                        |                               |   |      |                  |
| October .....   | 9,171                     | 353                     | 91,463                 | 9,146                         | 3 | .... | \$4,573 15       |
| November .....  | 8,063                     | 323                     | 80,805                 | 8,080                         | 5 | 5    | 4,040 25         |
| December .....  | 9,244                     | 356                     | 92,491                 | 9,249                         | 1 | .... | 4,624 55         |
| <b>1897.</b>    |                           |                         |                        |                               |   |      |                  |
| January .....   | 8,810                     | 352                     | 88,267                 | 8,826                         | 7 | .... | 4,413 35         |
| February .....  | 8,119                     | 353                     | 81,326                 | 8,132                         | 6 | 20   | 4,066 31         |
| March .....     | 9,534                     | 353                     | 95,371                 | 9,537                         | 1 | 15   | 4,768 56         |
| April .....     | 9,121                     | 351                     | 91,246                 | 9,124                         | 6 | 50   | 4,562 34         |
| May .....       | 8,907                     | 312                     | 89,072                 | 8,907                         | 2 | .... | 4,453 00         |
| June .....      | 9,486                     | 365                     | 91,893                 | 9,489                         | 3 | 10   | 4,744 66         |
| July .....      | 9,448                     | 363                     | 91,575                 | 9,457                         | 5 | 20   | 4,728 77         |
| August .....    | 9,116                     | 350                     | 91,323                 | 9,132                         | 3 | 25   | 4,566 17         |
| September ..... | 8,671                     | 347                     | 86,762                 | 8,676                         | 2 | 35   | 4,338 10         |
|                 | 107,710                   | 350                     | 1,077,597              | 107,759                       | 7 | .... | \$53,879 81      |

TABLE NO. 3.—Continued.

*Consolidated statement of convict labor for the year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Month.             | Number of days work done. | Average number per day. | Total number of hours. | Total number of days charged. |          |           | Amount received.   |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|-----------|--------------------|
| <b>1897:</b>       |                           |                         |                        |                               |          |           |                    |
| October .....      | 9,254                     | 356                     | 92,529                 | 9,252                         | 9        | 55        | \$4,628 50         |
| November .....     | 8,979                     | 359                     | 89,794                 | 8,979                         | 4        | 05        | 4,488 70           |
| December .....     | 9,411                     | 362                     | 94,131                 | 9,413                         | 1        | 30        | 4,706 58           |
| <b>1898:</b>       |                           |                         |                        |                               |          |           |                    |
| January .....      | 9,007                     | 360                     | 90,213                 | 9,021                         | 3        | 05        | 4,510 65           |
| February .....     | 8,382                     | 361                     | 83,968                 | 8,396                         | 8        | 45        | 4,189 44           |
| March .....        | 9,527                     | 353                     | 95,348                 | 9,534                         | 8        | 10        | 4,767 41           |
| April .....        | 9,278                     | 357                     | 92,897                 | 9,289                         | 7        | 30        | 4,644 86           |
| May .....          | 8,917                     | 357                     | 89,449                 | 8,944                         | 9        | 20        | 4,472 46           |
| June .....         | 8,965                     | 359                     | 89,540                 | 8,954                         | ....     | ....      | 4,477 00           |
| July .....         | 9,103                     | 364                     | 91,489                 | 9,148                         | 9        | 15        | 4,574 46           |
| August .....       | 9,295                     | 357                     | 93,422                 | 9,342                         | 2        | 55        | 4,671 15           |
| September .....    | 8,217                     | 329                     | 82,701                 | 8,270                         | 1        | 20        | 4,135 07           |
| <b>Total .....</b> | <b>108,335</b>            | <b>356</b>              | <b>1,065,485</b>       | <b>108,548</b>                | <b>5</b> | <b>50</b> | <b>\$54,274 28</b> |

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*Wisconsin State Prison.*


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TABLE No. 4.

## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS.

*Counties where convicted.*

|                   | 1897. | 1898. |                    | 1897  | 1898. |
|-------------------|-------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------|
| Ashland .....     | 4     | 10    | Marinette .....    | 15    | 11    |
| Barron .....      | ..... | ..... | Marquette .....    | ..... | 1     |
| Bayfield .....    | 1     | 4     | Milwaukee .....    | 16    | 12    |
| Adams .....       | 7     | ..... | Monroe .....       | 7     | 10    |
| Burnett .....     | 1     | ..... | Oconto .....       | 3     | 3     |
| Brown .....       | 2     | 17    | Oneida .....       | 4     | 4     |
| Buffalo .....     | 2     | 2     | Outagamie .....    | 3     | 4     |
| Calumet .....     | 3     | 3     | Ozaukee .....      | 1     | 3     |
| Chippewa .....    | 7     | 8     | Pepin .....        | ..... | 1     |
| Clark .....       | 5     | ..... | Pierce .....       | 5     | 3     |
| Columbia .....    | 8     | ..... | Polk .....         | 2     | 2     |
| Crawford .....    | 2     | 5     | Portage .....      | 7     | 9     |
| Dane .....        | 17    | 26    | Price .....        | 1     | 3     |
| Dodge .....       | 8     | 2     | Racine .....       | 22    | 19    |
| Door .....        | 3     | ..... | Richland .....     | 2     | 2     |
| Douglas .....     | 4     | 9     | Rock .....         | 12    | 12    |
| Dunn .....        | 1     | 6     | St. Croix .....    | 9     | 3     |
| Eau Claire .....  | 2     | 2     | Sauk .....         | 7     | 4     |
| Florence .....    | ..... | 1     | Sheboygan .....    | 5     | ..... |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 10    | 9     | Sawyer .....       | 2     | 5     |
| Forest .....      | ..... | ..... | Shawano .....      | 2     | 3     |
| Grant .....       | 7     | 8     | Taylor .....       | 2     | ..... |
| Green .....       | 1     | ..... | Trempealeau .....  | 1     | 2     |
| Green Lake .....  | 3     | 4     | Vernon .....       | 1     | 2     |
| Iron .....        | ..... | 3     | Vilas .....        | 1     | 2     |
| Iowa .....        | 3     | ..... | Walworth .....     | 8     | 13    |
| Jackson .....     | 6     | 6     | Washburn .....     | 1     | 1     |
| Jefferson .....   | 4     | 13    | Washington .....   | 2     | 1     |
| Juneau .....      | 6     | ..... | Waukesha .....     | 17    | 22    |
| Kenosha .....     | 1     | 9     | Waupaca .....      | 2     | 5     |
| Kewaunee .....    | 1     | ..... | Wood .....         | 2     | 3     |
| La Crosse .....   | 9     | 21    | Winnebago .....    | 8     | 5     |
| Lafayette .....   | 6     | 5     | Waushara .....     | ..... | 1     |
| Langlade .....    | 2     | 3     | U. S. Courts ..... | 8     | 4     |
| Lincoln .....     | 2     | 1     |                    |       |       |
| Manitowoc .....   | 3     | 4     |                    |       |       |
| Marathon .....    | 2     | 4     |                    |       |       |
|                   |       |       | Total .....        | 321   | 363   |

*Statistical Tables.**Residence when arrested.*

|                   | 1897. | 1898. |                          | 1897. | 1898. |
|-------------------|-------|-------|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| <b>Counties:</b>  |       |       | <b>Sawyer</b> .....      | 1     | 2     |
| Adams .....       | 1     | ..... | <b>Shawano</b> .....     | 1     | 2     |
| Ashland .....     | 4     | 3     | <b>Taylor</b> .....      | 1     | ..... |
| Barron .....      | 3     | 2     | <b>Trempealeau</b> ..... | 1     | 1     |
| Brown .....       | 3     | 17    | <b>Vilas</b> .....       | ..... | 2     |
| Bayfield .....    | ..... | 1     | <b>Vernon</b> .....      | 1     | 2     |
| Buffalo .....     | ..... | 1     | <b>Walworth</b> .....    | 6     | 2     |
| Calumet .....     | 2     | 3     | <b>Washburn</b> .....    | 1     | 1     |
| Chippewa .....    | 6     | 2     | <b>Washington</b> .....  | 2     | 1     |
| Crawford .....    | 4     | 1     | <b>Waukesha</b> .....    | 5     | 14    |
| Columbia .....    | 1     | 1     | <b>Waupaca</b> .....     | 1     | 3     |
| Dane .....        | 5     | 11    | <b>Waushara</b> .....    | 1     | ..... |
| Dodge .....       | 3     | ..... | <b>Winnebago</b> .....   | 10    | 5     |
| Douglas .....     | 3     | 5     | <b>Wood</b> .....        | 1     | 2     |
| Dunn .....        | 1     | 2     |                          |       |       |
| Door .....        | 4     | 1     | <b>Total</b> .....       | 193   | 201   |
| Eau Claire .....  | 3     | 4     |                          |       |       |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 9     | 5     | <b>States:</b>           |       |       |
| Grant .....       | 3     | ..... | Alabama .....            | ..... | 1     |
| Green .....       | 2     | 2     | Colorado .....           | ..... | 2     |
| Green Lake .....  | 2     | 4     | Connecticut .....        | 1     | 2     |
| Iron .....        | ..... | 1     | District of Columbia     | 1     | ..... |
| Iowa .....        | 1     | 2     | Illinois .....           | 36    | 36    |
| Jackson .....     | 2     | 1     | Indiana .....            | 2     | 4     |
| Jefferson .....   | 3     | 4     | Iowa .....               | 3     | 3     |
| Juneau .....      | 1     | ..... | Kansas .....             | 2     | 2     |
| Kenosha .....     | 1     | 3     | Kentucky .....           | ..... | 1     |
| Kewaunee .....    | 1     | ..... | Louisiana .....          | ..... | 1     |
| La Crosse .....   | 4     | 6     | Michigan .....           | 17    | 16    |
| Lafayette .....   | 1     | 4     | Minnesota .....          | 8     | 30    |
| Lincoln .....     | 2     | 1     | Massachusetts .....      | 5     | ..... |
| Langlade .....    | ..... | 3     | Missouri .....           | 4     | 4     |
| Manitowoc .....   | 1     | 1     | Maryland .....           | 1     | ..... |
| Marathon .....    | 5     | 1     | New York .....           | 8     | 12    |
| Marinette .....   | 8     | 7     | New Hampshire .....      | 1     | 1     |
| Milwaukee .....   | 20    | 18    | New Jersey .....         | 1     | 3     |
| Marquette .....   | ..... | 2     | Nebraska .....           | 3     | ..... |
| Monroe .....      | 2     | 1     | New Mexico .....         | 1     | ..... |
| Oconto .....      | 2     | 3     | Ohio .....               | 7     | 7     |
| Ozaukee .....     | 1     | 1     | Pennsylvania .....       | 2     | 7     |
| Outagamie .....   | 3     | 3     | South Dakota .....       | 1     | ..... |
| Pierce .....      | 3     | 2     | Washington .....         | 1     | ..... |
| Polk .....        | 2     | 1     |                          |       |       |
| Price .....       | 1     | ..... | <b>Total</b> .....       | 105   | 132   |
| Portage .....     | 3     | 4     |                          |       |       |
| Racine .....      | 7     | 15    | <b>Foreign</b> .....     | 2     | 18    |
| Richland .....    | 4     | 2     | <b>No home</b> .....     | 21    | 12    |
| Rock .....        | 7     | 5     |                          |       |       |
| St. Croix .....   | 6     | 2     | <b>Total</b> .....       | 23    | 30    |
| Sheboygan .....   | 8     | 1     |                          |       |       |
| Sauk .....        | 3     | 5     |                          |       |       |

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|                               | 1897. | 1898. |                             | 1897. | 1898. |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|-------|
| <i>Religious Instruction.</i> |       |       | <i>Ages.</i>                |       |       |
| Protestant.....               | 179   | 225   | Under 20 years.....         | 31    | 28    |
| Catholic.....                 | 128   | 123   | From 20 to 30 years ..      | 131   | 171   |
| Jews.....                     | 1     | 1     | From 30 to 40 years ..      | 79    | 96    |
| No religion .....             | 13    | 14    | From 40 to 50 years ..      | 56    | 42    |
| Total .....                   | 321   | 363   | From 50 to 60 years ..      | 21    | 20    |
|                               |       |       | From 60 to 70 years ..      | 3     | 6     |
| <i>Sex.</i>                   |       |       | Total .....                 | 321   | 363   |
| Male .....                    | 316   | 351   | <i>Conjugal Relations.</i>  |       |       |
| Female.....                   | 5     | 12    | Married .....               | 83    | 95    |
| Total .....                   | 321   | 363   | Single .....                | 213   | 225   |
| <i>Habits.</i>                |       |       | Widows.....                 | 2     | 5     |
| Intemperate.....              | 147   | 161   | Widowers.....               | 17    | 27    |
| Temperate.....                | 62    | 59    | Divorced.....               | 6     | 11    |
| Moderate .....                | 112   | 143   | Total.....                  | 321   | 363   |
| Total .....                   | 321   | 363   | <i>How often sentenced.</i> |       |       |
| <i>Color.</i>                 |       |       | First conviction.....       | 261   | 297   |
| White .....                   | 313   | 334   | Second conviction....       | 37    | 48    |
| Black.....                    | 2     | 3     | Third conviction.....       | 13    | 13    |
| Mulatto .....                 | 4     | 7     | Fourth conviction....       | 6     | 4     |
| Indian.....                   | 2     | 16    | Fifth conviction.....       | 2     | 1     |
| Quadroon.....                 |       | 3     | Sixth conviction.....       | 1     | ..... |
| Total .....                   | 321   | 363   | Tenth conviction.....       | 1     | ..... |
|                               |       |       | Total .....                 | 321   | 363   |



*Statistical Tables.**Education.*

|                         | 1897. | 1898. |                             | 1897. | 1898. |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|-------|
| Read and write:         |       |       | Terms of sentence-Con.      |       |       |
| English .....           | 266   | 294   | Eight years .....           | 5     | 2     |
| Bohemian .....          | 1     | ..... | Seven years .....           | 5     | 5     |
| German .....            | 12    | 15    | Six years .....             | 4     | ..... |
| French .....            | 1     | 1     | Five years .....            | 11    | 21    |
| Swede .....             | 2     | 2     | Four years and 6 mo's ..... | 3     | ..... |
| Slav .....              | ..... | 1     | Four years .....            | 17    | 7     |
| Norwegian .....         | ..... | 4     | Three years and 6           |       |       |
| Polish .....            | ..... | 5     | months .....                | 1     | 7     |
| Read only:              |       |       | Three years .....           | 28    | 29    |
| English .....           | 15    | 14    | Two years and 6 mo's .....  | 2     | 8     |
| German .....            | 3     | ..... | Two years and 3 mo's .....  | 1     | ..... |
| Swede .....             | ..... | 2     | Two years .....             | 49    | 36    |
| Neither read nor write. | 21    | 25    | One year and 8 mo's .....   | ..... | 2     |
| Total .....             | 321   | 363   | One year and 6 mo's .....   | 30    | 31    |
|                         |       |       | One year and 4 mo's .....   | ..... | 1     |
| Terms of sentence:      |       |       | One year and 3 mo's .....   | 6     | 5     |
| During life .....       | 5     | 11    | One year and 5 mo's .....   | ..... | 1     |
| Thirty-five years ..... | ..... | 1     | One year and 2 mo's .....   | 2     | 4     |
| Twenty-five years ..... | ..... | 2     | One year and 1 m'th. ....   | 1     | 2     |
| Twenty-one years .....  | 1     | ..... | One year and 1 day .....    | ..... | 3     |
| Twenty years .....      | 2     | ..... | One year .....              | 123   | 159   |
| Eighteen years .....    | 1     | ..... | Ten months .....            | 1     | 2     |
| Sixteen years .....     | 1     | ..... | Nine months .....           | 2     | 5     |
| Fifteen years .....     | 4     | 2     | Eight months .....          | 1     | 2     |
| Fourteen years .....    | 2     | 3     | Six months .....            | 7     | 6     |
| Twelve years .....      | ..... | 1     | Four months .....           | ..... | 1     |
| Ten years .....         | 1     | 3     | General term .....          | 5     | 1     |
|                         |       |       | Total .....                 | 321   | 363   |

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*Crime.*

|   | 1897. | 1898. |   | 1897. | 1898. |
|---|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|
| Assault with intent to kill.....                      | 7     | 6     | Having burglar tools in their possession.....   | 2     | ..... |
| Assault with intent to rob.....                       | 8     | ..... | Having casual knowledge of female imbecile..... | ..... | 1     |
| Assault with intent to do bodily harm.....            | 9     | 7     | Highway robbery.....                            | ..... | 1     |
| Assault with intent to rape.....                      | 7     | 8     | Illegal banking.....                            | 1     | ..... |
| Assault on prison officer.....                        | 1     | ..... | Illegal voting.....                             | 1     | ..... |
| Assault and battery, 2d conviction.....               | 1     | ..... | Incest.....                                     | 3     | 6     |
| Assault and robbery from the person..                 | 2     | 2     | Keeping house of ill fame.....                  | 3     | 7     |
| Abandonment.....                                      | 4     | 6     | Larceny.....                                    | 48    | 58    |
| Attempting to aid prisoner to escape.....             | ..... | 2     | Larc'ny fr'm the pers'n.....                    | ..... | 5     |
| Aiding prisoner to escape.....                        | 2     | 1     | Malicious mischief.....                         | ..... | 1     |
| Abduction.....  | ..... | 1     | Murder, 1st degree....                          | 5     | 11    |
| Arson.....  | 3     | 3     | Murder, 2d degree....                           | 3     | 5     |
| Adultery.....   | 10    | 13    | Murder, 3d degree....                           | ..... | 1     |
| Attempted larceny.....                                | ..... | 1     | Manslaughter, 2d deg                            | 2     | ..... |
| Attempted burglary...                                 | 2     | 1     | Manslaughter, 4th deg                           | 8     | 3     |
| Burglary.....   | 112   | 114   | Obtaining money under false pretenses...        | 1     | 2     |
| Burglary and larceny..                                | 7     | 2     | Obstr'ct'ng R. R. track                         | 3     | ..... |
| Burglary with intent to rape.....                     | ..... | 1     | Perjury.....                                    | 3     | ..... |
| Burglary with intent to kill.....                     | ..... | 1     | Passing counterfeit money.....                  | 4     | 1     |
| Bigamy.....   | 3     | 2     | Polygamy.....                                   | 1     | 1     |
| Concealing stolen property.....                       | ..... | 1     | Rape.....                                       | 5     | 10    |
| Counterfeiting.....                                   | ..... | 2     | Robbery.....                                    | 2     | 9     |
| Drunkenness, under sec. 4738.....                     | ..... | 3     | Robbery, being armed.....                       | ..... | 7     |
| Embezzlement.....                                     | 5     | 2     | Receiving stolen m'n'y                          | ..... | 1     |
| Escaping from prison..                                | 1     | 1     | Receiving stolen goods                          | 2     | 5     |
| Enticing into house of ill fame for prostitution..... | ..... | 1     | Robbery from the person with violence...        | ..... | 1     |
| Forgery.....  | 16    | 18    | Selling liquor to Indians.....                  | 1     | ..... |
| Fornication.....                                      | 1     | 1     | Sodomy.....                                     | 2     | 1     |
| Fraud.....  | ..... | 1     | Seduction.....                                  | 1     | ..... |
| Grand larceny.....                                    | 7     | 10    | Taking indecent liberties.....                  | 4     | 2     |
| Habitual criminal....                                 | 2     | 3     | Threatening with intent to extort money.....    | ..... | 2     |
| Horse stealing.....                                   | 5     | 8     | Vagrancy, 2d conviction.....                    | 1     | ..... |
|   |       |       | Total.....                                      | 321   | 363   |

*Statistical Tables.**Professions and Trades.*

|                       | 1897. | 1898. |                       | 1897. | 1898. |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|
| Agent.....            | 5     | 3     | Moulder .....         | 3     | 5     |
| Acrobat.....          |       | 3     | Machinist .....       | 5     | 3     |
| Actor.....            |       | 1     | Marble cutter.....    | 2     |       |
| Boiler maker.....     | 1     | 3     | Miller.....           |       | 1     |
| Brakeman.....         | 5     | 8     | Nurse.....            | 1     | 1     |
| Blacksmith.....       | 4     | 4     | Nickel plater.....    | 1     | 1     |
| Bookkeeper.....       | 1     | 3     | Optician.....         |       | 1     |
| Bartender.....        | 2     |       | Painter.....          | 9     | 11    |
| Brewer.....           | 1     | 1     | Printer.....          | 5     | 5     |
| Butcher.....          | 3     | 4     | Photographer.....     | 1     |       |
| Banker.....           | 2     |       | Peddler.....          | 2     | 2     |
| Baker.....            | 4     | 5     | Porter.....           | 2     | 3     |
| Barber.....           | 5     | 6     | Paper hanger.....     | 1     | 1     |
| Brick layer.....      |       | 1     | Plumber.....          | 3     | 1     |
| Butter maker.....     |       | 1     | Physician.....        |       | 1     |
| Cóoper.....           | 2     |       | Reporter.....         |       | 1     |
| Clerk.....            | 6     | 4     | Section man.....      |       | 4     |
| Cook.....             | 9     | 8     | Switchman.....        | 2     | 1     |
| Carpenter.....        | 9     | 12    | Saloon keeper.....    | 1     |       |
| Conductor.....        | 1     |       | Saw filer.....        | 1     |       |
| Cigar maker.....      | 3     | 2     | Shoemaker.....        | 4     | 4     |
| Carriage trimmer..... | 1     |       | Stone cutter.....     | 3     | 5     |
| Dress maker.....      |       | 2     | Steam fitter.....     | 2     | 2     |
| Engineer.....         | 4     | 3     | Scaler.....           | 1     |       |
| Electrician.....      | 1     | 2     | Student.....          | 1     |       |
| Farmer.....           | 24    | 33    | Sailor.....           | 3     | 5     |
| Farm laborer.....     | 18    | 12    | Stenographer.....     |       | 1     |
| Fireman.....          | 10    | 7     | Tailor.....           | 4     | 4     |
| Gardener.....         | 1     | 3     | Teacher.....          | 2     | 1     |
| Glass blower.....     | 2     | 1     | Teamster.....         | 10    | 8     |
| Gas fitter.....       |       | 1     | Telegrapher.....      | 2     | 1     |
| Housekeeper.....      | 4     | 8     | Thief.....            |       | 2     |
| Hostler.....          | 7     | 9     | Tinsmith.....         | 1     | 1     |
| Horse jockey.....     | 3     | 1     | Veterinary surgeon... | 1     | 1     |
| Knitter.....          | 1     | 1     | Waiter.....           | 1     | 5     |
| Lithographer.....     |       | 2     | Weaver.....           | 3     |       |
| Laundryman.....       |       | 2     | Wood turner.....      |       | 1     |
| Laborer.....          | 95    | 117   | Wood carver.....      | 1     |       |
| Lumberman.....        | 1     | 3     | Wax worker.....       | 1     |       |
| Miner.....            | 3     | 2     |                       |       |       |
| Merchant.....         | 1     |       | Total.....            | 321   | 363   |
| Mason.....            | 3     | 2     |                       |       |       |

*Wisconsin State Prison.**Nativity.*

|                    | 1897.      | 1898.      |                     | 1897.     | 1898.      |
|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------------|-----------|------------|
| <b>States:</b>     |            |            | <b>Foreign:</b>     |           |            |
| Alabama .....      |            | 3          | Australia.....      | 1         | .....      |
| California .....   |            | 1          | Atlantic Ocean..... | 1         | .....      |
| Connecticut .....  | 1          | 1          | Austria.....        | 1         | .....      |
| Delaware .....     |            | 1          | Belgium .....       | 2         | 1          |
| Iowa .....         | 5          | 6          | Bohemia .....       | 1         | 3          |
| Illinois .....     | 21         | 20         | Canada.....         | 14        | 20         |
| Indiana .....      | 5          | 7          | Denmark .....       | 2         | 6          |
| Kansas .....       |            | 2          | East India.....     | 1         | .....      |
| Kentucky.....      |            | 2          | England.....        | 7         | 12         |
| Louisiana .....    |            | 1          | France .....        | 2         | 3          |
| Maine .....        | 2          | 3          | Finland .....       |           | 3          |
| Maryland.....      | 1          | .....      | Germany .....       | 29        | 41         |
| Massachusetts..... | 7          | 3          | Holland .....       | 1         | .....      |
| Michigan .....     | 11         | 16         | Hungary .....       |           | 1          |
| Minnesota .....    | 3          | 10         | Ireland.....        | 9         | 4          |
| Missouri.....      | 4          | 7          | Italy .....         |           | 1          |
| Montana .....      | 1          | .....      | Nor way .....       | 5         | 9          |
| Nebraska .....     | 3          | .....      | Poland .....        | 1         | 2          |
| New Hampshire..... | 1          | .....      | Scotland.....       |           | 6          |
| New Jersey.....    | 4          | 3          | Sweden.....         | 2         | 1          |
| New York.....      | 32         | 23         | Syria .....         | 1         | .....      |
| Ohio .....         | 15         | 7          | Sitzerland .....    | 2         | 1          |
| Pennsylvania ..... | 5          | 20         | West Indies.....    | 1         | 2          |
| Rhode Island.....  | 1          | .....      | Not known.....      |           | 2          |
| Tennessee .....    |            | 1          |                     |           |            |
| Vermont.....       | 1          | .....      | <b>Total.....</b>   | <b>83</b> | <b>118</b> |
| Wisconsin .....    | 115        | 108        |                     |           |            |
| <b>Total.....</b>  | <b>238</b> | <b>245</b> |                     |           |            |

*Nativity of Parents.*

|  | 1897.      | 1898.      |
|--|------------|------------|
| Parents born in the United States.....                 | 106        | 113        |
| Parents born in foreign countries.....                 | 187        | 212        |
| Father born in U. S., mother in foreign countries..... | 9          | 25         |
| Mother born in U. S., father in foreign countries..... | 18         | 10         |
| Not known.....   | 1          | 3          |
| <b>Total.....</b>                                      | <b>321</b> | <b>363</b> |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 5.

*Prisoners discharged.*

|                          | 1897. | 1898. |                          | 1897. | 1897. |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| Reduction of time .....  | 247   | 283   | Paroled .....            |       | 5     |
| Expiration of time ..... | 13    | 12    | Commutation of sen-      |       |       |
| Governor's pardon .....  | 17    | 22    | tence .....              |       | 1     |
| Order of court .....     | 3     | 7     | Transferred to state re- |       |       |
| Transferred hospital in- |       |       | formatory .....          |       | 24    |
| sane .....               | 7     | 10    |                          |       |       |
| Died .....               | 4     | 7     |                          | 293   | 372   |
| Escaped .....            | 2     | 1     |                          |       |       |

| Per cent. of pardons granted for the<br>year ending— | To average<br>population. | To number<br>discharged. |
|--|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| September 30, 1885 .....                             | 3.16                      | 6.70                     |
| September 30, 1886 .....                             | 3.73                      | 7.65                     |
| September 30, 1887 .....                             | 2.90                      | 6.31                     |
| September 30, 1888 .....                             | 2.94                      | 6.46                     |
| September 30, 1889 .....                             | 4.10                      | 8.56                     |
| September 30, 1890 .....                             | 4.02                      | 8.53                     |
| September 30, 1891 .....                             | 3.94                      | 7.75                     |
| September 30, 1892 .....                             | 3.66                      | 5.00                     |
| September 30, 1893 .....                             | 2.79                      | 5.72                     |
| September 30, 1894 .....                             | 2.63                      | 5.95                     |
| September 30, 1895 .....                             | 4.96                      | 8.49                     |
| September 30, 1896 .....                             | 3.13                      | 5.41                     |
| September 30, 1897 .....                             | 2.84                      | 5.29                     |
| September 30, 1898 .....                             | 3.41                      | 5.91                     |

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TABLE No. 6.

*Prison population at the close of the year ending September 30, 1898.*  
*Counties where from.*

|                   |    |                    |       |
|-------------------|----|--------------------|-------|
| Adams .....       | 2  | Marathon .....     | 10    |
| Ashland .....     | 17 | Monroe .....       | 10    |
| Barron .....      | 7  | Marquette .....    | 3     |
| Bayfield .....    | 6  | Oneida .....       | 7     |
| Buffalo .....     | 2  | Outagamie .....    | 6     |
| Brown .....       | 16 | Oconto .....       | 7     |
| Calumet .....     | 7  | Ozaukee .....      | 5     |
| Chippewa .....    | 11 | Pepin .....        | 1     |
| Clark .....       | 7  | Pierce .....       | 5     |
| Crawford .....    | 4  | Portage .....      | 12    |
| Columbia .....    | 3  | Polk .....         | 2     |
| Douglas .....     | 14 | Price .....        | 3     |
| Dane .....        | 27 | Richland ..        | 7     |
| Dodge .....       | 7  | Racine .....       | 29    |
| Door .....        | 1  | Rock .....         | 23    |
| Dunn .....        | 6  | St. Croix .....    | 10    |
| Eau Claire .....  | 4  | Shawano .....      | 5     |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 13 | Sauk .....         | 7     |
| Grant .....       | 12 | Sheboygan .....    | 5     |
| Green .....       | 1  | Sawyer .....       | 6     |
| Green Lake .....  | 4  | Taylor .....       | ..... |
| Iowa .....        | 4  | Trempealeau .....  | 3     |
| Iron .....        | 4  | Vernon .....       | 6     |
| Jackson .....     | 8  | Vilas .....        | 3     |
| Jefferson .....   | 11 | Walworth .....     | 15    |
| Juneau .....      | 1  | Waukesha .....     | 25    |
| Kenosha .....     | 17 | Waupaca .....      | 11    |
| Kewaunee .....    | 1  | Waushara .....     | 5     |
| Langlade .....    | 3  | Washington .....   | 3     |
| La Crosse .....   | 23 | Washburn .....     | 1     |
| Lafayette .....   | 8  | Winnebago .....    | 11    |
| Lincoln .....     | 4  | Wood .....         | 10    |
| Milwaukee .....   | 53 | U. S. Courts ..... | 13    |
| Manitowoc .....   | 8  |                    |       |
| Marinette .....   | 16 | Total .....        | 601   |

*Statistical Tables.*

| <i>How often convicted.</i> |     | <i>Color.</i> |     |
|-----------------------------|-----|---------------|-----|
| First conviction .....      | 494 | White .....   | 584 |
| Second conviction .....     | 72  | Black .....   | 3   |
| Third conviction .....      | 24  | Mulatto ..... | 10  |
| Fourth conviction .....     | 8   | Indians ..... | 4   |
| Fifth conviction .....      | 2   |               |     |
| Tenth conviction .....      | 1   | Total .....   | 601 |
| Total .....                 | 601 |               |     |

*Ages.*

|                           |     |                           |     |
|---------------------------|-----|---------------------------|-----|
| Under 20 years .....      | 17  | From 60 to 70 years ..... | 24  |
| From 20 to 30 years ..... | 230 | From 70 to 80 years ..... | 1   |
| From 30 to 40 years ..... | 180 | From 80 to 90 years ..... | 1   |
| From 40 to 50 years ..... | 103 |                           |     |
| From 50 to 60 years ..... | 45  | Total .....               | 601 |

*Education.*

|                                    |     |                                  |     |
|------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------|-----|
| Read and write English .....       | 483 | Read and write French only ..... | 2   |
| Read and write German only .....   | 32  | Read English only .....          | 21  |
| Read and write Swedish only .....  | 1   | Read German only .....           | 5   |
| Read and write Norweg'n only ..... | 3   | Read French only .....           | 2   |
| Read and write Bohemian only ..... | 4   | Neither read nor write .....     | 46  |
| Read and write Polish only .....   | 1   |                                  |     |
| Read and write Italian only .....  | 1   | Total .....                      | 601 |

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*Received in the several years as follows:*

|           |   |            |     |
|-----------|---|------------|-----|
| 1863..... | 1 | 1887.....  | 3   |
| 1867..... | 1 | 1888.....  | 6   |
| 1871..... | 1 | 1889.....  | 2   |
| 1872..... | 2 | 1890.....  | 9   |
| 1874..... | 3 | 1891.....  | 7   |
| 1876..... | 1 | 1892.....  | 9   |
| 1877..... | 1 | 1893.....  | 16  |
| 1878..... | 1 | 1894.....  | 18  |
| 1879..... | 1 | 1895.....  | 34  |
| 1880..... | 1 | 1896.....  | 83  |
| 1883..... | 3 | 1897.....  | 176 |
| 1884..... | 4 | 1898.....  | 212 |
| 1885..... | 5 |            |     |
| 1886..... | 1 | Total..... | 601 |



*Statistical Tables.**Crime.*

|   |     |  |     |
|---|-----|--|-----|
| Assault and robbery .....                         | 2   | Fraudulently receiving deposits .....          | 1   |
| Aiding in assault with intent to rape .....       | 1   | Habitual criminal .....                        | 3   |
| Adultery .....                                    | 16  | Incest .....                                   | 12  |
| Abandonment .....                                 | 5   | Keeping house of ill fame ..                   | 7   |
| Arson .....                                       | 11  | Larceny of all grades .....                    | 69  |
| Aiding prisoners to escape ..                     | 5   | Murder, first degree .....                     | 74  |
| Assault with intent to kill ..                    | 19  | Murder, second degree .....                    | 27  |
| Assault with intent to do great bodily harm ..... | 8   | Manslaughter, first degree ..                  | 1   |
| Assault with intent to rape ..                    | 19  | Manslaughter, second degree ..                 | 5   |
| Assault with intent to rob ..                     | 4   | Manslaughter, third degree ..                  | 3   |
| Attempted larceny .....                           | 1   | Manslaughter, fourth degree ..                 | 6   |
| Attempted robbery .....                           | 1   | Malicious mischief .....                       | 1   |
| Attempted burglary .....                          | 1   | Making moulds .....                            | 1   |
| Burglary .....                                    | 181 | Obstructing R. R. tracks ..                    | 3   |
| Burglary and larceny .....                        | 5   | Obtaining money under false pretenses .....    | 4   |
| Burglary with intent to rape ..                   | 1   | Passing counterfeit money ..                   | 2   |
| Bigamy .....                                      | 3   | Polygamy .....                                 | 1   |
| Carnal knowledge of female imbecile .....         | 1   | Perjury ..                                     | 3   |
| Counterfeiting .....                              | 4   | Rape .....                                     | 26  |
| Drunkenness .....                                 | 2   | Robbery .....                                  | 19  |
| Embezzlement .....                                | 5   | Receiving stolen property .....                | 5   |
| Enticing into a house of ill fame .....           | 1   | Sodomy .....                                   | 3   |
| Escaping from state prison ..                     | 1   | Seduction .....                                | 1   |
| Forgery .....                                     | 20  | Taking indecent liberties ..                   | 3   |
| Fornication .....                                 | 2   | Threatening, with intent to extort money ..... | 2   |
|   |     | Total .....                                    | 601 |

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*Terms of sentence.*

|                              |    |                              |     |
|------------------------------|----|------------------------------|-----|
| During life.....             | 78 | Three years .....            | 49  |
| Thirty-five years.....       | 1  | Two years and nine months..  | 1   |
| Thirty years.....            | 3  | Two years and six months..   | 10  |
| Twenty-five years.....       | 4  | Two years and three months   | 1   |
| Twenty-four years.....       | 1  | Two years.....               | 68  |
| Twenty two years.....        | 1  | One year and eight months.   | 1   |
| Twenty-one years.....        | 1  | One year and six months,     |     |
| Twenty years.....            | 9  | \$100.00 fine.....           | 1   |
| Eighteen years .....         | 4  | One year and six months...   | 28  |
| Sixteen years.....           | 1  | One year and five months..   | 1   |
| Fifteen years.....           | 12 | One year and three months.   | 4   |
| Fourteen years.....          | 10 | One year and four months..   | 1   |
| Twelve years .....           | 1  | One year and two months...   | 4   |
| Eleven years .....           | 1  | One year and one month,      |     |
| Ten years .....              | 20 | \$1.00 fine.....             | 1   |
| Eight yeirs.....             | 9  | One year and one day, \$1.00 | 1   |
| Seven years and six months.. | 1  | One year and one day.....    | 1   |
| Seven years .....            | 15 | One year.....                | 123 |
| Six years.....               | 13 | Nine months. ....            | 1   |
| Five years and six months .. | 1  | Eight months .....           | 2   |
| Five years .....             | 48 | Six months .....             | 4   |
| Four years and six months... | 5  | Four months.....             | 1   |
| Four years and three months. | 1  | General terms:               |     |
| Four years.....              | 44 | One to five years .....      | 1   |
| Three years and nine months  | 1  |                              |     |
| Three years and six months   | 12 | Total .....                  | 601 |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 7.

*Life Prisoners.*

|  |    |
|--|----|
| Number confined Oct. 1, 1896 .....                   | 77 |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1897 ..... | 5  |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1898 ..... | 11 |
|  | 16 |
|  | 93 |
| Discharged on governor's pardon .....                | 5  |
| Remanded for new trial .....                         | 3  |
| Died .....   | 5  |
| Transferred to hospital for insane .....             | 2  |
|  | 15 |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1898 .....                       | 78 |

*Counties where from.*

|                  |   |                    |    |
|------------------|---|--------------------|----|
| Ashland .....    | 4 | Marathon .....     | 4  |
| Barron .....     | 1 | Manitowoc .....    | 1  |
| Brown .....      | 1 | Milwaukee .....    | 8  |
| Calumet .....    | 1 | Monroe .....       | 1  |
| Chippewa .....   | 1 | Ozaukee .....      | 1  |
| Clark .....      | 1 | Oconto .....       | 2  |
| Dane .....       | 2 | Richland .....     | 1  |
| Dunn .....       | 2 | Rock .....         | 3  |
| Dodge .....      | 2 | Sawyer .....       | 3  |
| Douglas .....    | 1 | Shawano .....      | 2  |
| Green .....      | 1 | St. Croix .....    | 1  |
| Green Lake ..... | 2 | Vernon .....       | 2  |
| Grant .....      | 1 | Waukesha .....     | 1  |
| Iowa .....       | 1 | Walworth .....     | 1  |
| Jackson .....    | 2 | Winnebago .....    | 1  |
| Jefferson .....  | 2 | Wood .....         | 2  |
| Kenosha .....    | 3 | Waupaca .....      | 3  |
| Langlade .....   | 1 | Waushara .....     | 5  |
| Lincoln .....    | 2 | U. S. Courts ..... | 3  |
| La Crosse .....  | 1 |                    |    |
| Marquette .....  | 1 | Total .....        | 78 |

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| <i>Color.</i>             |    | <i>Conjugal relations.</i> |    |
|---------------------------|----|----------------------------|----|
| White .....               | 71 | Married .....              | 29 |
| Black .....               | 3  | Single .....               | 29 |
| Indians .....             | 4  | Widows .....               | 4  |
|                           |    | Widowers .....             | 15 |
| Total .....               | 78 | Divorced .....             | 1  |
|                           |    | Total .....                | 78 |
| <i>Ages.</i>              |    | <i>Sex.</i>                |    |
| From 20 to 30 years ..... | 9  | Male .....                 | 74 |
| From 30 to 40 years ..... | 19 | Female .....               | 4  |
| From 40 to 50 years ..... | 32 |                            |    |
| From 50 to 60 years ..... | 11 | Total .....                | 78 |
| From 60 to 70 years ..... | 5  |                            |    |
| From 70 to 80 years ..... | 2  |                            |    |
| Total .....               | 78 |                            |    |

*Nativity.*

| <i>Native:</i>     |    | <i>Foreign:</i>   |    |
|--------------------|----|-------------------|----|
| Illinois .....     | 2  | Bohemia .....     | 1  |
| Maine .....        | 2  | Canada .....      | 4  |
| Missouri .....     | 1  | Denmark .....     | 1  |
| Minnesota .....    | 1  | England .....     | 2  |
| Michigan .....     | 4  | Germand .....     | 20 |
| New York .....     | 2  | Holland .....     | 2  |
| Ohio .....         | 1  | Ireland .....     | 1  |
| Pennsylvania ..... | 3  | Italy .....       | 1  |
| Tennessee .....    | 2  | Poland .....      | 1  |
| Virginia .....     | 1  | Sweden .....      | 1  |
| Wisconsin .....    | 21 | Scotland .....    | 1  |
|                    | 40 | Switzerland ..... | 2  |
|                    |    | Wales .....       | 1  |
|                    |    | Total .....       | 38 |

*Statistical Tables.*

*Total number of life prisoners received since organization of the prison.*

|   |    |     |
|---|----|-----|
| Murder — First degree.....                |    | 200 |
| Murder — Second degree.....               |    | 11  |
| Desertion .....                           |    | 1   |
| Rape.....                                 |    | 5   |
|   |    | 217 |
| Discharged on governor's pardon.....      | 59 |     |
| Discharged on writ habeas corpus.....     | 5  |     |
| Discharged by order secretary of war..... | 1  |     |
| Discharged on commutation .....           | 3  |     |
| Remanded for new trial.....               | 20 |     |
| Removed to hospital for insane.....       | 13 |     |
| Died .....                                | 34 |     |
| Committed suicide .....                   | 2  |     |
| Escaped.....                              | 2  |     |
|   |    | 139 |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1898 .....            |    | 78  |

TABLE NO. 8.

*Female prisoners.*

|  |    |    |
|--|----|----|
| Number confined Oct. 1, 1896.....                    |    | 19 |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1897 ..... | 5  |    |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1898 ..... | 12 | 17 |
|  |    | 36 |
| Discharged on reduction of time .....                | 13 |    |
| Discharged on governor's pardon .....                | 2  | 15 |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1898 .....                       |    | 21 |

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*Counties where from.*


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|                  |   |                 |    |
|------------------|---|-----------------|----|
| Ashland.....     | 1 | Milwaukee ..... | 1  |
| Brown .....      | 1 | Racine .....    | 2  |
| Crawford.....    | 1 | Richland.....   | 1  |
| Fond du Lac..... | 3 | Shawano.....    | 1  |
| Green Lake.....  | 1 | Vilas.....      | 1  |
| Jefferson .....  | 2 | Washburn.....   | 1  |
| Kenosha .....    | 1 | Waukesha.....   | 1  |
| Marinette .....  | 2 |                 |    |
| Manitowoc.....   | 1 | Total.....      | 21 |

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| <i>Age.</i>              |    | <i>Conjugal relations.</i> |    |
|--------------------------|----|----------------------------|----|
| From 20 to 30 years..... | 7  | Married.....               | 5  |
| From 30 to 40 years..... | 6  | Single.....                | 5  |
| From 40 to 50 years..... | 5  | Widows.....                | 11 |
| From 50 to 60 years..... | 3  |                            |    |
| Total.....               | 21 | Total.....                 | 21 |

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| <i>Term of sentence.</i>    |    | <i>Crime.</i>                 |    |
|-----------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|
| During life.....            | 4  | Aiding and abetting an as-    |    |
| Eighteen years .....        | 1  | sault with intent to rape..   | 1  |
| Fourteen years .....        | 2  | Assault with intent to kill.. | 1  |
| Ten years .....             | 1  | Adultery .....                | 3  |
| Three years.....            | 1  | Bigamy .....                  | 1  |
| Two and one-half years..... | 1  | Enticing into a house of ill  |    |
| Two years.....              | 3  | fame for purposes of pros-    |    |
| One year.....               | 6  | titution.....                 | 1  |
| Nine months .....           | 1  | Keeping house of ill fame...  | 3  |
| One to five years.....      | 1  | Larceny.....                  | 2  |
| Total .....                 | 21 | Murder, 1st degree.....       | 4  |
|                             |    | Murder, 2d degree.....        | 3  |
|                             |    | Manslaughter, 4th degree...   | 2  |
|                             |    | Total.....                    | 21 |

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*Statistical Tables.**Nativity.*

|                    |           |                   |          |
|--------------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|
| <b>Native:</b>     |           | <b>Foreign:</b>   |          |
| Michigan .....     | 2         | Canada.....       | 2        |
| New York.....      | 1         | Finland.....      | 1        |
| Wisconsin.....     | 9         | Germany.....      | 5        |
|                    |           | Hungary.....      | 1        |
| <b>Total .....</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>Total.....</b> | <b>9</b> |

TABLE NO. 9.

*General term sentences.*

(Sentenced under Sec. 1, Chapter 30, Laws of 1889.)

|   |    |       |
|---|----|-------|
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1889..... | 7  | ..... |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1890..... | 21 | ..... |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1891..... | 14 | ..... |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1892..... | 1  | ..... |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1893..... | 2  | ..... |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1894..... | 7  | ..... |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1897..... | 5  | ..... |
| Received during the year ending Sept. 30, 1898..... | 1  | 58    |
|   |    | 58    |
| Discharged on parole.....                           | 54 | ..... |
| Discharged on reduction of time.....                | 3  | 57    |
| Remaining Sept. 30, 1898.....                       |    |       |

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TABLE No. 10.

*Prison population, number of female prisoners and life members at the close of each fiscal year since the organization of the prison. Number pardoned, died, committed suicide and escaped during the year.*

| Date.                   | Prison population. | Fe-males. | Life prisoners. | Pardoned. | Died. | Suicide. | Es-caped. |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|-------|----------|-----------|
| April 1, 1852.....      | 15                 |           |                 |           |       |          |           |
| December 31, 1852.....  | 28                 | 2         |                 |           |       |          | 1         |
| December 31, 1853.....  | 61                 | 5         |                 |           | 1     |          |           |
| December 31, 1854.....  | 71                 | 5         |                 | 13        |       |          |           |
| December 31, 1855.....  | 72                 | 4         | 8               | 14        | 1     |          |           |
| December 31, 1856.....  | 108                |           | 12              | 13        | 1     | 1        |           |
| December 31, 1857.....  | 160                |           |                 |           |       |          |           |
| December 31, 1858.....  | 202                |           |                 | 16        | 1     |          |           |
| December 31, 1859.....  | 182                |           |                 | 29        | 2     |          |           |
| September 30, 1860..... | 170                | 12        |                 | 25        | 1     |          | 1         |
| September 30, 1861..... | 137                | 12        |                 | 26        |       |          |           |
| September 30, 1862..... | 116                | 4         | 16              | 5         |       |          |           |
| September 30, 1863..... | 131                | 8         | 20              | 14        |       |          | 2         |
| September 30, 1864..... | 120                | 14        | 22              | 9         | 1     |          | 2         |
| September 30, 1865..... | 97                 | 6         | 24              | 15        | 2     |          | 2         |
| September 30, 1866..... | 169                | 10        | 27              | 13        | 1     | 1        |           |
| September 30, 1867..... | 206                | 15        | 30              | 16        |       |          |           |
| September 30, 1868..... | 184                | 8         | 33              | 11        | 1     |          |           |
| September 30, 1869..... | 180                | 3         | 31              | 13        | 1     |          |           |
| September 30, 1870..... | 195                | 2         | 35              | 5         |       |          |           |
| September 30, 1871..... | 191                | 2         | 35              | 12        | 1     | 1        |           |
| September 30, 1872..... | 187                | 7         | 36              | 13        | 2     |          | 2         |
| September 30, 1873..... | 180                | 5         | 36              | 14        | 1     |          |           |
| September 30, 1874..... | 230                | 7         | 40              | 18        | 1     |          |           |
| September 30, 1875..... | 243                | 12        | 37              | 19        | 2     |          |           |
| September 30, 1876..... | 266                | 13        | 40              | 22        | 1     | 1        |           |
| September 30, 1877..... | 290                | 10        | 42              | 27        | 2     | 2        |           |
| September 30, 1878..... | 346                | 6         | 45              | 19        | 2     |          | 1         |
| September 30, 1879..... | 309                | 7         | 48              | 11        | 1     |          |           |
| September 30, 1880..... | 277                | 7         | 47              | 13        | 3     | 1        |           |
| September 30, 1881..... | 305                | 7         | 49              | 6         | 6     |          |           |
| September 30, 1882..... | 343                | 7         | 44              | 13        | 3     |          | 2         |
| September 30, 1883..... | 366                | 9         | 48              | 16        | 3     |          | 1         |
| September 30, 1884..... | 410                | 9         | 50              | 14        | 5     | 1        |           |
| September 30, 1885..... | 441                | 12        | 49              | 14        | 7     |          |           |
| September 30, 1886..... | 450                | 13        | 51              | 17        | 2     |          | 3         |
| September 30, 1887..... | 428                | 13        | 52              | 13        | 1     |          |           |
| September 30, 1888..... | 438                | 14        | 60              | 13        | 2     |          | 5         |
| September 30, 1889..... | 507                | 15        | 64              | 19        | 4     |          | 1         |
| September 30, 1890..... | 532                | 17        | 68              | 19        | 10    |          | 4         |
| September 30, 1891..... | 529                | 15        | 74              | 23        | 7     |          | 2         |
| September 30, 1892..... | 498                | 17        | 77              | 19        | 4     | 2        |           |
| September 30, 1893..... | 536                | 24        | 77              | 15        | 2     |          |           |
| September 30, 1894..... | 662                | 24        | 81              | 16        | 6     |          |           |
| September 30, 1895..... | 615                | 24        | 79              | 31        | 5     |          |           |
| September 30, 1896..... | 582                | 19        | 77              | 19        | 5     |          |           |
| September 30, 1897..... | 610                | 13        | 72              | 15        | 4     |          | 2         |
| September 30, 1898..... | 601                | 21        | 78              | 22        | 7     |          | 1         |
| Total.....              |                    |           |                 | 709       | 112   | 10       | 32        |



*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 11.

*Exhibit of U. S. prisoners confined September 30, 1898.*

| Number on register. | Where convicted.  | Term of sentence.                       | Date of sentence. | Crime.                     |
|---------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------|----------------------------|
| 5040                | Eastern district. | Life .....                              | Sept. 22, '90     | Rape.                      |
| 5177                | Western district. | Life .....                              | Mar. 23, '91      | Rape.                      |
| 5809                | Western district. | Life .....                              | June 27, '93      | Murder.                    |
| 6457                | Eastern district. | Six years .....                         | June 7, '95       | Counterfeiting.            |
| 6697                | Eastern district. | Ten years .....                         | Feb. 18, '96      | Burglary.                  |
| 6698                | Eastern district. | Ten years .....                         | Feb. 18, '96      | Burglary.                  |
| 6820                | Eastern district. | Four years .....                        | June 12, '96      | Burglary.                  |
| 6943                | Western district. | Five years .....                        | Nov. 18, '96      | Embezzlement.              |
| 6997                | Eastern district. | Two years .....                         | Jan. 25, '97      | Stealing from P. O.        |
| 7358                | Western district. | One year and one month .....            | Jan. 28, '98      | Burglary.                  |
| 7430                | Western district. | One year and one day .....              | May 7, '98        | Burglary.                  |
| 7476                | Eastern district. | Eighteen months and \$100.00 fine ..... | June 15, '98      | Passing counterfeit money. |
| 7478                | Western district. | Thirteen months and \$100.00 fine ..... | June 20, '98      | Burglary.                  |

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## PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

WAUPUN, Wis., Sept. 30th, 1898.

*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN: — It is my privilege and duty to present the work for the biennial period of October 1st, 1896 to September 30th, inclusive.

In the appended tables will be found a comprehensive statement of the department's workings.

One innovation in the work of the department, in regard to constant medical service by the physician in charge, thus far, has been most satisfactory; giving the prisoner more personal care, and diminishing dissatisfaction to a minimum degree, besides increasing the efficiency of the department.

This, for a time, increased the attendance at sick call, but there has been no increase in the cost for supplies.

We have passed through an epidemic of measles, the contagion having been brought in by a new prisoner.

By rigid quarantine and isolation the siege was confined to ten cases.

This was done at considerable inconvenience, owing to special quarters for such purposes not existing, we having to use the officers' quarters. This emphasizes the need outlined in the former report of a special hospital structure with isolation wards, operating room, table and instruments, with a culinary department of its own.

The fact that most adults have had measles in earlier years, minimized the considerable spread of the disease; but we would not have been as secure, had it been a more dangerous type of contagion.

The benefits arising from the introduction of the electric light system, ventilating system, and porcelain-lined buckets, are obvious, there being a marked decrease in the consumptives of tubercular origin, and a decrease in the number of deaths from that source.

The health of the institution is remarkably good; our death rate being only about 8-10 of 1 per cent. and, this, considering our heterogeneous population, is especially gratifying.

Notwithstanding the probable reduction in the number of prisoners, because of transfers to the new reformatory, there still remains, because of the increase of the State's population, and its consequent increase in a measure, of criminals, an enlargement in cell rooms to obviate the remaining number of men doubling up and permit of setting aside more cells for special use.

The obvious difficulties and dangers from lack of cells I felt called upon

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to mention in the previous report, because it is not hygienic nor sanitary in any way, nor conducive to best moral results.

It would be a great improvement to have a number of cells set aside specially for sick call purposes, in which men could be detained for a day or one-half day as necessity would dictate; preventing conniving, trickery and inconvenience, keeping them locked up, thus better facilitating observation by officers and physician.

Special cells for consumptives not in hospital are urgently desirable. Isolation with these cases is the only proper course to pursue.

Latest authorities advocate special hospitals for this disease, being needed as much so as special hospitals for insane, etc., hence the desirability of preventing the spread of this disease to the least possible degree. in institutional life, where the dangers of infection are enormously increased.

I question the supposed beneficial effect of allowing tobacco to the inmates as much so almost as I do the propriety of allowing alcoholic beverages.

It is not a normal demand of the physical nature and leads to the filthy habit of expectorating over their cell walls and in many other places, and often causes by its excess a debilitated condition which I am unable to combat as long as they are permitted its use.

Smokers' catarrh is common as other forms, the heart and stomach especially being affected, and digestion impeded.

Prisoners, I judge, use the weed more excessively than they would as free men, and those not using tobacco call for it and give it to others using more than their allowance.

It seems to me that proper lectures of a character creating respect for the care of the physique, from a hygienic and moral standpoint, by an instructor, would do as much good in helping prisoners as religious instruction.

I believe the permitting of more time for instructing men mentally weak, coupled with careful development of the weakened physique, in those of defective organization, in proper cases, in a practical manner, would do much to create respect for authority and yielding of ready obedience; to say nothing of its stimulating effects for a mental and physical quickening, tending toward good health of both mind and body, creating wholesome self-respect and paying its dividends by the result that many more would remain in honorable walks of life when sentence expired.

The sooner civil service obtains in penal institutions, the sooner the oft-heard complaint, that, "As soon as a set of officers learn to be really

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useful, the revolving wheel of politics sets them aside and the new ones commence where the old ones did", will obtain no more.

This condition, dealing with the criminal element, needs for the benefit of society, the greatest degree of special knowledge, tact and firmness, fitted to cope with this most perplexing problem.

While this may be extreme, it seems necessary to put facts in an extreme light in order to awaken public opinion from its apathy on these burning questions of so vital importance to the body politic in the performance of its duty; and we, who are in the best position to know these things better, owe this duty to the public, which, when shown a defect, will of itself pursue the proper steps to right them.

The fault lies not with individuals but a system which would produce better results by a change.

We have added a thoroughly kept physical record of all inmates, and each new prisoner is vaccinated, if evidence of previous successful vaccination within a reasonably short period is not sufficient.

There has been one birth of an illegitimate child at the female prison, the female arriving enceinte.

The unusual number of insane is accounted for because of receiving a larger number of that type of individuals whose disease is caused by worry, which conditions were operative probably before the commission of crime, worry about family affairs, hereditary taint, vicious habits, and injury to the head.

This class of cases having become quite numerous, should, it would seem to me, most properly be provided with suitable quarters of their own at some of the insane asylums, and we should have detention quarters provided outside of our present cell quarters for the temporary detention of these cases.

It is unpleasant to a marked degree to know that, under existing conditions, we must care for our criminal insane, alongside of, and mingling to a greater or less degree with, the unfortunate citizen insane.

With many thanks to the gentlemen of the State Board, the warden and fellow officers, for their courtesy and assistance, I have the honor to remain

Yours respectfully,

G. F. MESSER,  
*Prison Physician.*

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*Statistical Tables.*


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TABLE No. 1.

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| Total number of convicts in prison Oct. 1, '96 .....                                 | 582      |
| Total number received from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, '98.....                         | 684      |
| Total number discharged from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, '98.....                       | 665      |
| Total number treated in hospital from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, '98.                  | 556      |
| Total number treated in dispensary from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, 1898.....           | 25,122   |
| Total number of deaths from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, '98.....                        | 11       |
| Total number transferred to asylum from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, 1898 .....          | 17       |
| Monthly average number in prison from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, '98                   | 621      |
| Monthly average number in hospital from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, 1898 .....          | 23.5+    |
| Monthly average number treated in dispensary from Oct. 1, '96 to Sept. 30, '98 ..... | 1,046.7+ |

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TABLE NO. 2.

*Out hospital report.*

| Months.         | Number treated. | Medical treat-ments. | Surgical treat-ments. | Daily average number treated. | Average number in prison. |
|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1896.           |                 |                      |                       |                               |                           |
| October .....   | 695             | 680                  | 15                    | 22.4                          | 593                       |
| November .....  | 841             | 820                  | 21                    | 28.                           | 591                       |
| December .....  | 871             | 857                  | 14                    | 28.                           | 589                       |
| 1897.           |                 |                      |                       |                               |                           |
| January .....   | 750             | 728                  | 22                    | 24.1                          | 588                       |
| February .....  | 939             | 916                  | 23                    | 33.5                          | 593                       |
| March .....     | 938             | 901                  | 37                    | 30.2                          | 590                       |
| April .....     | 543             | 527                  | 16                    | 18.1                          | 586                       |
| May .....       | 655             | 636                  | 19                    | 21.1                          | 602                       |
| June .....      | 710             | 688                  | 22                    | 23.6                          | 617                       |
| July .....      | 1,166           | 1,132                | 34                    | 37.6                          | 620                       |
| August .....    | 1,555           | 1,510                | 45                    | 50.1                          | 605                       |
| September ..... | 1,051           | 1,020                | 31                    | 35.                           | 601                       |
| October .....   | 1,204           | 1,167                | 37                    | 38.8                          | 623                       |
| November .....  | 1,176           | 1,143                | 33                    | 39.2                          | 638                       |
| December .....  | 1,055           | 1,025                | 30                    | 34.                           | 655                       |
| 1898.           |                 |                      |                       |                               |                           |
| January .....   | 1,330           | 1,290                | 40                    | 42.8                          | 667                       |
| February .....  | 1,212           | 1,176                | 36                    | 43.2                          | 664                       |
| March .....     | 1,348           | 1,308                | 40                    | 43.4                          | 646                       |
| April .....     | 1,266           | 1,229                | 37                    | 42.2                          | 647                       |
| May .....       | 1,302           | 1,263                | 39                    | 42.                           | 640                       |
| June .....      | 1,082           | 1,050                | 32                    | 36.3                          | 638                       |
| July .....      | 1,029           | 999                  | 30                    | 33.1                          | 654                       |
| August .....    | 1,212           | 1,176                | 36                    | 39.                           | 655                       |
| September ..... | 1,192           | 1,158                | 34                    | 39.7                          | 607                       |
| Totals .....    | 25,122          | 24,399               | 723                   | 825                           | 14,909                    |
| Averages .....  | 1,046.7         | 1,012.1              | 30.1                  | 34.3                          | 621.2                     |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 3.

*In hospital report.*

| Months.        | In hospi-<br>tal 1st of<br>the month | Received<br>during the<br>month. | Dischar'd<br>during<br>the month | Number<br>treated<br>each<br>month. | Number<br>of<br>deaths. |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1896.          |                                      |                                  |                                  |                                     |                         |
| October.....   | 12                                   | 4                                | 6                                | 16                                  | .....                   |
| November.....  | 10                                   | 7                                | 9                                | 17                                  | .....                   |
| December.....  | 8                                    | 10                               | 6                                | 18                                  | 1                       |
| 1897.          |                                      |                                  |                                  |                                     |                         |
| January.....   | 12                                   | 12                               | 13                               | 24                                  | .....                   |
| February.....  | 11                                   | 6                                | 9                                | 17                                  | .....                   |
| March.....     | 8                                    | 9                                | 6                                | 17                                  | .....                   |
| April.....     | 11                                   | 10                               | 8                                | 21                                  | .....                   |
| May.....       | 13                                   | 10                               | 10                               | 23                                  | 1                       |
| June.....      | 13                                   | 4                                | 6                                | 17                                  | 1                       |
| July.....      | 11                                   | 8                                | 7                                | 19                                  | 1                       |
| August.....    | 12                                   | 12                               | 14                               | 24                                  | .....                   |
| September..... | 10                                   | 6                                | 6                                | 16                                  | .....                   |
| October.....   | 10                                   | 8                                | 7                                | 18                                  | 2                       |
| November.....  | 11                                   | 5                                | 4                                | 16                                  | .....                   |
| December.....  | 12                                   | 9                                | 5                                | 21                                  | .....                   |
| 1898.          |                                      |                                  |                                  |                                     |                         |
| January.....   | 16                                   | 14                               | 9                                | 30                                  | .....                   |
| February.....  | 21                                   | 7                                | 9                                | 28                                  | .....                   |
| March.....     | 19                                   | 4                                | 5                                | 23                                  | 2                       |
| April.....     | 18                                   | 15                               | 4                                | 33                                  | .....                   |
| May.....       | 29                                   | 9                                | 18                               | 38                                  | .....                   |
| June.....      | 20                                   | 16                               | 16                               | 36                                  | 1                       |
| July.....      | 20                                   | 7                                | 8                                | 27                                  | 1                       |
| August.....    | 19                                   | 8                                | 11                               | 27                                  | 1                       |
| September..... | 16                                   | 14                               | 11                               | 30                                  | .....                   |
| Totals.....    | 3,421                                | 214                              | 207                              | 556                                 | 11                      |
| Averages.....  | $14\frac{1}{4}$                      | $8\frac{1}{12}$                  | $8\frac{1}{2}$                   | $23\frac{1}{2}$                     | .....                   |

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TABLE NO. 4.

*Statement showing number of deaths from Oct. 1, 1896, to Sept. 30, 1898.*

| No.  | Name.           | Age. | Entered prison. | Term   | Crime.                          | Disease.                          | Date of death. |
|------|-----------------|------|-----------------|--------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| 4852 | John Kuehne..   | 33   | Jan. 16, '90.   | Life   | Murder ...                      | Mesenteric tuberculosis           | Dec. 2, '96.   |
| 3802 | John Stagg....  | 63   | Sept. 21, '84.  | Life   | Murder .....                    | Apoplexy .....                    | May 1, '97.    |
| 2903 | Luke Walton..   | 61   | Dec. 21, '81.   | Life   | Murder .....                    | Tuberculosis and rheumatism ..... | June 27, '97.  |
| 7142 | Clar. Dresser.. | 21   | June 29, '97.   | 2 yrs. | Adultery .....                  | Enteric fever.                    | July 14, '97.  |
| 1903 | Thos. Loftus..  | 71   | July 11, '74.   | Life   | Murder .....                    | Meningitis....                    | Oct. 8, '97.   |
| 7185 | Gus Lessard...  | 44   | Sept. 11, '97.  | 2 yrs. | Burglary .....                  | Uraemic coma .....                | Oct. 10, '97.  |
| 6401 | Wm. Hanscom     | 55   | Mch. 30, '95.   | 7 yrs. | Perjury .....                   | Enteric fever.                    | Mch. 28, '98.  |
| 7382 | G. H. Phillips. | 68   | Mch. 8, '98     | 1 yr.  | Keeping house of ill-fame ..... | Heart failure.                    | Mch. 31, '98.  |
| 6706 | Thos. Kelly.... | 67   | Feb. 25, '96.   | 5 yrs. | Assault .....                   | Apoplexy.....                     | June 24, '98.  |
| 776  | James Croak..   | 80   | Nov. 14, '62.   | Life   | Murder .....                    | Softening of the brain...         | July 6, '98.   |
| 7353 | James Calvin.   | 28   | Jan. 28, '98.   | 2 yrs. | Horse steal-ing .....           | Heart failure.                    | Aug. 27, '98.  |

TABLE NO. 5.

*Transferred to state hospital for insane.*

| No.  | Name.                | Date of sentence. | TERM.  |        | Date of transfer to hospital. |
|------|----------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|-------------------------------|
|      |                      |                   | Years. | Months |                               |
| 6350 | Dominick Pafinsky.   | Jan. 17, 1895     | 25     | .....  | Oct. 12, 1896.                |
| 6699 | Jas. Dunlap .....    | Feb. 12, 1896     | 1      | .....  | Nov. 11, 1896.                |
| 6609 | M. McDonough....     | Oct. 30, 1895     | 4      | .....  | Nov. 11, 1896.                |
| 5948 | Mat. Bitson .....    | Dec. 11, 1893     | Life.  | .....  | Dec. 28, 1896.                |
| 6781 | Wm. Moh .....        | Apr. 24, 1896     | 2      | .....  | Jan. 18, 1897.                |
| 6973 | Wm. French.....      | Dec. 29, 1896     | .....  | 10     | June 26, 1897.                |
| 6524 | Jas. McDollegal....  | Aug. 17, 1895     | 3      | .....  | June 26, 1897.                |
| 7053 | John McGahey .....   | Mar. 21, 1897     | 1      | .....  | Nov. 26, 1897.                |
| 7186 | Simon Sarter .....   | Sept. 11, 1897    | 10     | .....  | Dec. 15, 1897.                |
| 7253 | Albert Sprague ..... | Oct. 30, 1897     | 1      | .....  | Jan. 29, 1898.                |
| 7080 | Conrad Earnest....   | Apr. 26, 1897     | 4      | .....  | Jan. 29, 1898.                |
| 7380 | Thos. Colbrook ..... | Mar. 4, 1898      | 1      | .....  | Aug. 15, 1898.                |
| 7481 | Aug. Nimke, Sr....   | June 22, 1898     | Life.  | .....  | Aug. 15, 1898.                |
| 7418 | Henry Fay .....      | Apr. 25, 1898     | .....  | 15     | Aug. 15, 1898.                |
| 7268 | J. L. Johnson.....   | Nov. 9, 1897      | 1      | 6      | Aug. 15, 1898.                |
| 6819 | Chas. Moore.....     | June 12, 1896     | 4      | .....  | Aug. 15, 1898.                |
| 7039 | John Meyers.....     | Mar. 20, 1897     | 8      | .....  | Aug. 15, 1898.                |



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*Chaplain's Report.*

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## CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

WAUPUN, Wis., October 1, 1898.

*To the State Board of Control:*

Gentlemen:— I have the pleasure of presenting to you my report, which dates from the 4th of February, 1898. As I had already held the Chaplaincy here, I again took up the work with the same purpose in view, viz.: the uplifting and betterment of those who had lost sight of true manhood.

To this end my addresses in Chapel have been directed, feeling that to have a conscious reality of humanity, in its highest and noblest aspects, the true worth and real dignity of manhood must be manifested. That the thoughts, words and deeds which actuate life's varied conditions become those higher, nobler conditions of being, when such thoughts, words and deeds are subjected to the influence of religion. Thus, rising from the creature to the Creator.

*Secondly.* By a development along the line of reform, in the night school, by instituting a system of periodical examinations of each class, and this for a three-fold purpose:

First. To encourage the men in their studies.

Second. To stimulate the dormant or latent powers of perseverance and ambition in the direction of *personal* application.

Third. To give them some subject matter to think over and work on while in the cells which would tend to strengthen and develop the thought; there are many avenues of life, which would open up and strengthen new and higher aspirations.

The result has been beyond my expectations, and both teachers and scholars, I am prone to think, have assimilated the thought that it really means more to them than certain hours out of the cells.

The choir has done efficient work in the chapel services and added much thereto. We have been greatly assisted by the kind offices of those from away, sending papers, magazines, and periodicals for the perusal of the men, who greatly appreciate this expression of kindly interest.

We hope shortly to have an addition to the library of 1,000 new books, which will go largely to supply a need so long felt.

I have been most efficiently assisted in the letter department of my work by Miss J. Roberts, whom you appointed mail clerk.

In conclusion, I desire to express my thanks for the courtesies I have been privileged to receive from your Honorable Body, the warden, and officers of this institution.

Very respectfully submitted,

GEO. HOWARD S. SOMERVILLE,

*Chaplain.*

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## REPORT OF THE CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN.

*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:—It is now three years since I have taken charge of ministering to the spiritual wants of the Catholic population at the State's Prison, and, although I entered upon my duties with many misgivings, fearing especially, that among men of this stamp the nobler aspirations of life, as expounded by religion, would receive little welcome, I was happily undeceived to the contrary. I found many not only susceptible of nobler instincts, but actually languishing for the same. Some, especially life members, who have come here not out of utter depravity, but for some misstep, committed perhaps in a moment of blind passion, find in religion their only solace. Religion, then, has a noble and comforting mission even within the prison walls.

The last Sunday of each month is assigned to Catholic service, beginning at 9 A. M., at which almost all convicts of whatever belief or unbelief are present of their own volition. And let me state it right here: They behave themselves during these services almost in an exemplary manner. The evening before I hear the confessions of any Catholics who wish to receive holy communion the next day. Besides this I attend to all sick calls and funerals of my denomination, and am not only privileged but requested to visit any of my faith at their cells, whenever they ask for me, or when I deem it expedient to make them such a visit. The management has extended to me every courtesy and granted me every advantage, consistent with the proper discipline of the institution. Of this I herewith gratefully make public acknowledgment.

The results of my labors are not entirely satisfactory to me, but to some degree gratifying, as may be seen by the following: There have been at the prison these three years, out of the total number of 600, about 70 convicts, who professed to be Catholics, judging from the seats they occupy during my services, but of this number only 33 complied the first year, 39 the second year, and 45 the last year with the requirements of the church, so as to be considered practical Catholics. I find that a considerable number of those, who term themselves Catholics, though not entitled by our standard to be styled such, have been simply baptized in the faith, but received no religious instruction and never before approached the sacraments. Several are being instructed at present, even one who had no belief whatever.

Regarding my public services I am certainly handicapped by the absence of an altar, vestments and other paraphernalia almost indispensably necessary for a proper and dignified conduct of Catholic services. To

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*Catholic Chaplain's Report.*

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remedy this I have been in correspondence with a Catholic charitable association in the East for the purpose of securing a portable altar with its appurtenances, and the most necessary vestments, and have received the assurance that they would try to furnish me gratuitously with all I requested.

I regret also to find a total lack of Catholic literature, and I appeal, therefore, through this channel to my Catholic brethren throughout the state to send some good, substantial and especially religious reading to the prison. If one hundred persons would each send one book, we would have quite a respectable collection. The books need not be new either. One or another convict will surely be reclaimed from evil by such literature.

*Recommendation.* I understand it is my privilege to make in this report any recommendation which has occurred to my mind during my official ministrations, tending to promote the best interests of the convicts. I have a suggestion to make which I think would interest every fair minded citizen.

There are men in prison, who have no resources themselves, have no family or relatives to speak a kind word in their behalf, have no influential friends who are capable of tempering justice with mercy. When the prison gates close behind them they might read the inscription as above Dante's *Inferno*: "Leave ye all hope behind." If they are sentenced for a very long term, or life, they are apt to consider themselves God-forsaken, goading them on to despair of earthly and heavenly justice, and thus frustrating all attempts of religion.

A man of means or blessed with influential friends may expect reduction of time, or pardon, or, in case of a judicial crime, vindication of his innocence, but a poor, friendless unfortunate, nothing of the kind. This ought not to be so.

Moreover, when a poor unfortunate leaves the prison with the firm purpose to live an honest and honorable life henceforth, he experiences nothing but rebuffs. If he returns to his old home, the mark of Cain, branded on his forehead, thwarts him in his efforts. If he goes to some other locality, and disguising his identity, obtains employment, some one, who knows of the man's incarceration, happens around and most graciously furnishes the employer with the information that he is harboring an ex-convict. The next day the unfortunate man is politely relieved of the means of a livelihood. This repeats itself, and as a consequence the man who had seriously proposed to efface the blot of his past life grows desperate, and seeing he cannot live honestly is compelled by sheer force of circumstances to espouse dishonesty and latterly returns to prison. How hollow the advice of the warden and the admonition of the priest to en-

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ter upon a new era of life of honesty and integrity must seem to such a man, when he finds that his honest attempts utterly fail on account of the inconsiderateness of his fellowmen.

Therefore, I would respectfully suggest that an organization be called into life, covering the entire state or at least having members in all the cities of the state, whose purpose it would be:

1. To come to the the relief of the impecunious and friendless convicts, and
2. To devise means by which an ex-convict, willing to amend and build up his life can obtain employment.

If this were accomplished, then, in case any poor wretch were entitled to a pardon, or there arose any doubts about his guilt, the contemplated society could take the matter in hand, look up the records, accumulate evidence and submit it to the proper authorities.

Then again, when a convict left the prison, whose antecedents proved him not to be a hardened criminal, and whose behavior during his term of sentence was commendable, the warden could send a letter of recommendation to said society, which would be of great assistance to him in obtaining employment and level the way for him to become again a respectable citizen.

This is only a meagre sketch of the proposed organization. I leave it brighter minds than mine to work out the details. In this proposition I am actuated by the motive, not to crush the fallen, especially when they are helpless.

Respectfully submitted

JOS. C. HARTMAN,  
*Catholic Chaplain.*

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND—1897.

|          |  |              |              |
|----------|--|--------------|--------------|
| 1896     |  |              |              |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....  |              | \$30,835 15  |
| May 1    | Appropriation, Chap. 308, Laws, 1897. ....                                   |              | 68,000 00    |
|          | Appropriation, Chap. 308, Laws, 1897. ....                                   |              |              |
|          | Deficiency to March 1, 1897. ....  |              | 32,000 00    |
|          | Transferred from electric light plant fund .....                             |              | 66 92        |
|          | Steward for convict labor including profit of knitting and tailor shop ..... |              | 60,559 79    |
|          | Steward for sundries .....   |              | 4,802 34     |
| 1897     |  |              |              |
| Feb. 23  | Transferred electric light plant .....                                       | \$246 74     |              |
| May 1    | Appropriation for deficiency .....   | 40,000 00    |              |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred to board of control fund .....                                   | 2,415 55     |              |
|          | Transfers tailor and knitting shop .....                                     | 1,659 91     |              |
|          | Paid on account of current expense this year .....                           | 97,530 34    |              |
|          | Balance in hands of treas., \$53,790 73.                                     |              |              |
|          | Balance in hands of steward, \$620.93.                                       | 54,411 66    |              |
|          |  | \$196,264 20 | \$196,264 20 |

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND—1898.

|        |  |              |              |
|--------|--|--------------|--------------|
| 1897.  |  |              |              |
| Oct. 1 | Balance .....  |              | \$54,411 66  |
|        | Transfer tailor and knitting shop .....                                      |              | 1,800 00     |
|        | Convict labor from steward, including profits knitting and tailor shop ..... |              | 65,301 57    |
|        | Steward for sundries .....   |              | 4,618 72     |
|        | Transferred to board of control fund for salaries and expenses .....         | \$2,400 00   |              |
|        | Transferred to new iron and slate roof fund .....                            | 637 85       |              |
|        | Paid on account of current expenses this year .....                          | 100,622 02   |              |
|        | Transferred knitting and tailor shop .....                                   | 7,829 60     |              |
|        | Bal. in hands of state treasurer .....                                       | \$14,450 79  |              |
|        | Bal. in hands of steward .....   | 191 69       |              |
|        |  | 14,642 48    |              |
|        | Total .....  | \$126,131 95 | \$126,131 95 |

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## STATEMENT OF KNITTING SHOP FUND, 1897-1898.

|                  |   |                    |                    |
|------------------|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1896,<br>Oct. 1. | Balance .....   |                    | \$2,940 69         |
|                  | Receipts for biennial period .....                    |                    | 9,231 48           |
|                  | Expenditures during biennial period .....             | \$1,832 64         |                    |
|                  | Convict labor profits during biennial<br>period ..... | 5,400 82           |                    |
|                  | Balance .....   | 4,938 71           |                    |
|                  |   | <u>\$12,172 17</u> | <u>\$12,172 17</u> |
| 1898.<br>Oct. 1. | Balance .....   |                    | \$4,938 71         |

## STATEMENT OF TAILOR SHOP FUND, 1897-1898.

|                    |   |                    |                    |
|--------------------|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1896.<br>Oct. 1    | Balance .....   |                    | \$1,621 62         |
| Sept. 30.<br>1898. | Receipts during biennial period .....                 |                    | 14,841 55          |
|                    | Current expense fund transfer to .....                |                    | 10,105 62          |
|                    | Clothing .....  |                    | 5,293 77           |
|                    | Overdraft .....                                       |                    |                    |
|                    | Expenditures during biennial period .....             | \$19,080 34        |                    |
|                    | Convict labor profits during biennial<br>period ..... | 12,782 22          |                    |
|                    | Total .....   | <u>\$31,862 56</u> | <u>\$31,862 56</u> |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUNDS.

| Classified items.   | Balance<br>available<br>Oct. 1, 1896. | Appropriations,<br>1897. | Transfer'd<br>from cur-<br>rent ex-<br>pense<br>fund. | Transfer'd<br>to current<br>expense<br>fund. | Expended<br>during<br>biennial<br>period. | Balance<br>available<br>Oct. 1, 1898. |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| Land purchase...    | \$5,000 00                            | .....                    | .....   | .....  | \$4,250 80                                | \$749 20                              |
| Electric L. plant.  | 6,748 69                              | .....                    | .....   | \$66 92                                      | 6,681 77                                  | .....                                 |
| Iron and slate roof | 5,000 00                              | .....                    | \$637 85  | .....  | 5,637 85                                  | .....                                 |
| Totals.....         | \$16,748 69                           | .....                    | \$637 85  | \$66 92                                      | \$16,570 42                               | \$749 20                              |

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STATEMENT OF  
At the Wisconsin State Prison for the

| Classified Items.                             | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1896. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred to this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Accounts receivable ....                      | \$770 71                            |                                  |   | \$770 71     |
| Armory .....                                  | 195 50                              | \$ 10                            |   | 195 60       |
| Barn, farm and garden..                       | 3,587 49                            | 1,479 13                         |   | 5,066 62     |
| Clothing .....                                | 1,805 23                            | 5,567 21                         | \$2,200 98  | 9,573 42     |
| Convicts discharged .....                     |                                     | 3,943 60                         |   | 3,943 60     |
| Convicts' earnings.....                       |                                     | 234 26                           |   | 234 26       |
| Convicts escaped .....                        |                                     | 38 58                            |   | 38 58        |
| Discounts .....                               |                                     |                                  |   |              |
| Drug and medical department.....              | 402 76                              | 1,066 86                         |   | 1,469 62     |
| Exchange .....                                |                                     | 20 76                            |   | 20 76        |
| Engines and boilers.....                      | 8,980 48                            | 1,298 40                         |   | 10,278 88    |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....  |                                     | 1 15                             |   | 1 15         |
| Fire apparatus.....                           | 514 00                              |                                  |   | 514 00       |
| Fuel.....                                     | 600 00                              | 11,569 34                        |   | 12,169 34    |
| Furniture .....                               | 5,981 29                            | 145 69                           |   | 6,126 98     |
| Gas and other lights....                      | 1,054 07                            | 909 63                           |   | 1,963 70     |
| House furnishing.....                         | 8,391 39                            | 2,874 65                         | 11 01   | 11,277 05    |
| Indebtedness previous<br>year .....           |                                     | 512 57                           |   | 512 57       |
| Laundry.....                                  | 863 10                              | 544 11                           |   | 1,407 21     |
| Library.....                                  | 1,090 16                            | 85 14                            |   | 1,175 30     |
| Machinery and tools....                       | 370 25                              | 153 29                           |   | 523 54       |
| Means of instruction....                      | 696 85                              | 92 09                            |   | 788 94       |
| Miscellaneous.....                            | 684 95                              | 1,098 84                         |   | 1,783 79     |
| Officers' expenses.....                       |                                     | 221 05                           |   | 221 05       |
| Printing, postage, stationery and telegraph.  | 222 32                              | 1,059 66                         |   | 1,281 98     |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc..... | 409,873 90                          |                                  | 15,413 08   | 425,286 98   |
| Repairs and renewals ...                      | 222 40                              | 7,217 10                         |   | 7,439 50     |
| Scraps .....                                  |                                     |                                  | 86 29   | 86 29        |
| Subsistence .....                             | 600 41                              | 28,687 37                        | 1,539 92  | 30,877 70    |
| Tobacco.....                                  | 37 00                               | 1,017 17                         |   | 1,054 17     |
| United States .....                           |                                     |                                  | 2,248 00  | 2,248 00     |
| Wages and salaries.....                       |                                     | 27,933 27                        |   | 27,933 27    |
| Totals.....                                   | \$446,944 26                        | \$97,771 02                      | \$21,549 28   | \$566,264 56 |
| Discounts .....                               |                                     | 256 98                           |   | 478,236 78   |
| Net expenses.....                             |                                     | \$97,514 04                      |   | \$88,027 78  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of



*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES***fiscal year ending September 30, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897.                      | Cash received on this<br>account during the year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>account during the year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.   |
|--|---|--|--------------|------------|-------------|
| \$756 71   | \$770 71  |  | \$1,527 42   | \$756 71   |             |
| 194 50   |   |  | 194 50       |            | \$1 10      |
| 4,994 73   | 1,194 48  | \$1,589 92   | 7,779 13     | 2,712 51   |             |
| 1,021 51   |   | 497 91   | 1,519 42     |            | 8,054 00    |
|  |   |  |              |            | 3,943 60    |
|  |   |  |              |            | 234 26      |
|  |   |  |              |            | 38 58       |
|  |   | 256 98   | 256 98       | 256 98     |             |
| 490 49   | 85  |  | 491 34       |            | 978 28      |
| 8,991 58   | 47 82   | 7 00   | 9,046 40     |            | 20 76       |
|  |   |  |              |            | 1,232 48    |
|  |   |  |              |            | 1 15        |
| 514 00   |   |  | 514 00       |            |             |
| 803 88   | 325 84  |  | 1,129 72     |            | 11,039 62   |
| 6,083 71   |   |  | 6,083 71     |            | 43 27       |
| 451 14   | 9 32  |  | 460 46       |            | 1,503 24    |
| 8,083 05   |   | 47 17  | 8,130 22     |            | 3,146 83    |
|  |   |  |              |            | 512 57      |
| 884 69   |   |  | 884 69       |            | 522 52      |
| 1,150 35   |   |  | 1,150 35     |            | 24 95       |
| 518 14   |   |  | 518 14       |            | 5 40        |
| 760 40   |   |  | 760 40       |            | 28 54       |
| 941 75   | 3 05  |  | 944 80       |            | 838 99      |
|  |   |  |              |            | 221 05      |
| 465 09   |   |  | 465 09       |            | 816 89      |
| 425,286 98   |   |  | 425,286 98   |            |             |
| 2,947 86   | 18 29   | 566 29   | 3,532 44     |            | 3,907 06    |
|  | 86 29   |  | 86 29        |            |             |
| 1,492 35   | 35 40   | 2,248 00   | 3,775 75     |            | 27,101 95   |
| 50 76  |   |  | 50 76        |            | 1,003 41    |
|  | 2,248 00  |  | 2,248 00     |            |             |
|  | 62 29   | 1,337 50   | 1,399 79     |            | 26,533 48   |
| \$466,883 67   | \$4,802 34  | \$6,550 77   | \$478,236 78 | \$3,726 20 | \$91,753 98 |
|  |   |  |              |            | 3,726 20    |
|  |   |  |              |            | \$88,027 78 |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control..... |   |  |              |            | 2,415 55    |
|  |   |  |              |            | \$90,443 33 |

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## STATEMENT OF

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| Classified items.                                 | Inventory<br>Sept. 30,<br>1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Trans-<br>ferred to<br>this acc't<br>during<br>the year. | Total.     |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|------------|
| Accounts receivable....                           | \$756 71                        |                                  |  | \$756 71   |
| Armory.....                                       | 194 50                          | \$3 15                           |  | 197 65     |
| Barn, farm and garden.                            | 4,994 73                        | 1,942 51                         | \$265 78   | 7,203 02   |
| Clothing.....                                     | 1,021 51                        | 2,393 48                         | 7,892 83   | 11,307 82  |
| Convicts discharged.....                          |                                 | 4,558 28                         |  | 4,558 28   |
| Convicts' earnings.....                           |                                 | 315 03                           |  | 315 03     |
| Convicts escaped.....                             |                                 | 49 10                            |  | 49 10      |
| Discounts.....                                    |                                 |                                  |  |            |
| Drug and medical dept.                            | 490 49                          | 896 84                           | 60   | 1,387 93   |
| Exchange.....                                     |                                 | 3 30                             |  | 3 30       |
| Engines and boilers....                           | 8,991 58                        | 1,477 82                         |  | 10,469 40  |
| Fire apparatus.....                               | 514 00                          | 98 40                            |  | 612 40     |
| Fuel.....   | 803 88                          | 10,298 49                        |  | 11,102 37  |
| Furniture.....                                    | 6,083 71                        | 250 22                           |  | 6,333 93   |
| Gas and other lights...                           | 451 14                          | 833 33                           |  | 1,284 47   |
| House furnishing.....                             | 8,083 05                        | 2,210 74                         |  | 10,293 79  |
| Indebtedness previous<br>year.....                |                                 | 782 46                           |  | 782 46     |
| Laundry.....                                      | 884 69                          | 910 71                           | 2 22   | 1,797 62   |
| Library.....                                      | 1,150 35                        | 39                               |  | 1,150 74   |
| Machinery and tools....                           | 518 14                          | 446 32                           |  | 964 46     |
| Means of instruction....                          | 760 40                          | 319 90                           |  | 1,080 30   |
| Miscellaneous.....                                | 941 75                          | 767 41                           |  | 1,709 16   |
| Officers' expenses.....                           |                                 | 259 18                           |  | 259 18     |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph. | 465 09                          | 668 76                           |  | 1,133 85   |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings, etc.....     | 425,286 98                      |                                  | 16,870 67  | 442,157 65 |
| Repairs and renewals...                           | 2,947 86                        | 7,516 09                         |  | 10,463 95  |
| Scraps.....                                       |                                 |                                  | 95 20  | 95 20      |
| Subsistence.....                                  | 1,492 35                        | 30,518 36                        | 2,461 36   | 34,472 07  |
| Tobacco.....                                      | 50 76                           | 1,118 07                         |  | 1,168 83   |
| United States.....                                |                                 |                                  | 2,186 35   | 2,186 35   |
| Wages and salaries.....                           |                                 | 29,421 38                        |  | 29,421 38  |
| Fire and boiler insurance                         |                                 | 2,612 50                         |  | 2,612 50   |
| Totals.....                                       | 466,883 67                      | 100,672 22                       | 29,775 01  | 597,330 90 |
| Discounts.....                                    |                                 | 155 76                           |  | 501,900 99 |
| Net expenses.....                                 |                                 | 100,516 46                       |  | 95,429 91  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of

*Statistical Tables.***CURRENT EXPENSES***fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1898.                      | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>ferred from<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.   |
|--|--|---|--------------|------------|-------------|
| \$514 64   | \$756 71   |   | \$1,271 35   | \$514 64   |             |
| 180 00   |  |   | 180 00       |            | \$17 65     |
| 6,044 05   | 1,349 41   | \$2,463 58  | 9,857 04     | 2,654 02   |             |
| 2,052 43   | 35 37  | 57 73   | 2,145 53     |            | 9,162 29    |
|  |  |   |              |            | 4,558 28    |
|  |  |   |              |            | 315 03      |
|  |  |   |              |            | 49 10       |
|  |  | 155 76  | 155 76       | 155 76     |             |
| 520 55   |  |   | 520 55       |            | 867 38      |
|  |  |   |              |            | 3 30        |
| 9,281 17   | 16 41  | 6 10  | 9,303 68     |            | 1,165 72    |
| 612 40   |  |   | 612 40       |            |             |
| 953 67   | 109 22   |   | 1,062 89     |            | 10,039 48   |
| 6,130 91   |  |   | 6,130 91     |            | 203 02      |
| 470 29   | 16 84  |   | 487 13       |            | 797 34      |
| 9,302 69   | 3 40   |   | 9,306 09     |            | 987 70      |
|  |  |   |              |            | 782 46      |
| 847 03   |  |   | 847 03       |            | 950 59      |
| 1,081 17   |  |   | 1,081 17     |            | 69 57       |
| 795 04   |  |   | 795 04       |            | 169 42      |
| 1,011 91   |  |   | 1,011 91     |            | 68 39       |
| 1,090 94   | 5 10   |   | 1,096 04     |            | 613 12      |
|  |  |   |              |            | 259 18      |
| 472 30   | 50   |   | 472 80       |            | 661 05      |
| 442,157 65   |  |   | 442,157 65   |            |             |
| 529 22   | 13 82  | 5,128 02  | 5 671 06     |            | 4,792 89    |
|  | 95 20  |   | 95 20        |            |             |
| 1,118 39   | 30 39  | 2,452 13  | 3,600 91     |            | 30,871 16   |
| 52 50  |  |   | 52 50        |            | 1,116 33    |
|  | 2,186 35   |   | 2,186 35     |            |             |
|  |  | 1,800 00  | 1,800 00     |            | 27,621 38   |
|  |  |   |              |            | 2,612 50    |
| \$485,218 95   | \$4,618 72   | \$12,063 32   | \$501,900 99 | \$3,324 42 | \$93,754 33 |
|  |  |   |              |            | 3,324 42    |
|  |  |   |              |            | \$95,429 91 |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control..... |  |   |              |            | \$2,400 00  |
|  |  |   |              |            | \$97,829 91 |

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## STATEMENT OF MONEYS RECEIVED AT THE INSTITUTION.

|  | Year ending<br>September<br>30, 1897. | Year ending<br>September<br>30, 1898. |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Accounts receivable.....                         | \$770 71                              | \$756 71                              |
| Barn, farm and garden .....                      | 1,194 48                              | 1,349 41                              |
| Clothing .....                                   |                                       | 35 37                                 |
| Convict labor.....                               | 53,879 84                             | 54,274 28                             |
| Drug and medical department .....                | 85                                    |                                       |
| Engine and boilers .....                         | 47 82                                 | 16 41                                 |
| Fuel .....                                       | 325 84                                | 109 22                                |
| Gas and other lights.....                        | 9 32                                  | 16 84                                 |
| House furnishing.....                            |                                       | 3 40                                  |
| Miscellaneous .....                              | 3 05                                  | 5 10                                  |
| Printing, postage, stationery and telegraph..... |                                       | 50                                    |
| Repairs and renewals.....                        | 18 29                                 | 13 82                                 |
| Subsistence .....                                | 35 40                                 | 30 39                                 |
| Scraps .....                                     | 86 29                                 | 95 20                                 |
| United States.....                               | 2,248 00                              | 2,186 35                              |
| Wages and salaries.....                          | 62 29                                 |                                       |
| Tailorshop.....                                  | 3,953 73                              | 11,439 08                             |
| Knitting shop.....                               | 4,708 43                              | 5,051 19                              |
| Total .....                                      | \$67,344 34                           | \$75,383 27                           |

*Statistical Tables.*

## PRODUCTS FROM FARM AND GARDEN.

| ARTICLES.           | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPT. 30, 1897. |          | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPT. 30, 1898. |          |
|---------------------|--|----------|--|----------|
|                     | Quantity.                              | Amount.  | Quantity.                              | Amount.  |
| Beets.....          | 933¾ bu.                               | \$169 82 | 1,239 bu.                              | \$215 20 |
| Beet roots .....    | 1¾ bu.                                 | 87       |  |          |
| Beans .....         |  |          | 21 bu.                                 | 10 50    |
| Beans, string ..... | 45½ bu.                                | 22 75    | 14 bu.                                 | 3 50     |
| Beef.....           | 1,464 lbs.                             | 87 84    | 2,059 lbs.                             | 150 45   |
| Buckwheat .....     | 30 bu.                                 | 15 00    |  |          |
| Cabbage.....        | 16,728 hds.                            | 215 56   | 4,851 hds.                             | 158 94   |
| Carrots.....        | 610 bu.                                | 122 50   | 689¼ bu.                               | 172 30   |
| Celery .....        | 499 bch.                               | 7 15     | 3,000 bch.                             | 30 00    |
| Celery .....        | 4,000 bch.                             | 33 33    |  |          |
| Cucumbers.....      | 400 bu.                                | 160 00   | 56 bu.                                 | 11 20    |
| Corn .....          | 2,917 bu.                              | 604 25   | 1,800 bu.                              | 360 00   |
| Corn, sweet.....    |  |          | 376 bu.                                | 37 60    |
| Cornstalks.....     | 60 tons.                               | 70 00    | 40 tons.                               | 60 00    |
| Eggs .....          | 260¼ doz.                              | 20 66    | 367¼ doz.                              | 45 40    |
| Hay .....           | 12 tons.                               | 72 00    | 67 tons.                               | 268 00   |
| Lettuce.....        | 76 bu.                                 | 38 00    | 73 bu.                                 | 32 75    |
| Milk .....          | 44,521 lbs.                            | 392 01   | 101,462 lbs.                           | 701 31   |
| Oats.....           | 1,077 bu.                              | 193 86   | 1,535 bu.                              | 383 75   |
| Onions .....        | 662½ bu.                               | 225 63   | 727 bu.                                | 237 32   |
| Onions .....        |  |          | 1,219 bch.                             | 12 19    |
| Peas.....           | 97¾ bu.                                | 29 17    | 96 bu.                                 | 47 20    |
| Parsnips.....       | 400 bu.                                | 80 00    | 495½ bu.                               | 100 08   |
| Pork .....          | 7,192 lbs.                             | 318 38   | 4,960 lbs.                             | 221 28   |
| Potatoes.....       | 1,390 bu.                              | 417 00   | 3,119 bu.                              | 810 72   |
| Pumpkins .....      | 12                                     | 36       | 60                                     | 1 80     |
| Pumpkins .....      | 50 loads.                              | 50 00    |  |          |
| Radishes.....       | 665¾ bu.                               | 187 12   | 412 bu.                                | 176 00   |
| Rutabagas.....      | 687 bu.                                | 108 55   | 1,089 bu.                              | 272 25   |
| Squashes.....       | 318                                    | 7 58     | 2,066                                  | 41 32    |
| Squashes.....       | 25 loads.                              | 25 00    | 51½ bu.                                | 10 90    |
| Soap grease.....    |  |          | 150 lbs.                               | 1 50     |
| Straw .....         |  |          | 20 tons.                               | 30 00    |
| Sauerkraut.....     |  |          | 27 bbls.                               | 40 50    |
| Tomatoes.....       | 19 bu.                                 | 5 70     | 144 bu.                                | 42 35    |
| Turnips.....        | 156 bu.                                | 38 05    | 37 bu.                                 | 5 95     |
| Tallow.....         |  |          | 195 bu.                                | 3 40     |
| Veal.....           | 1,046 lbs.                             | 70 97    | 1,222 lbs.                             | 84 67    |
| <i>Amount sold.</i> |  |          |  |          |
|                     | 132 hogs.                              |          | 203 hogs.                              |          |
| Hogs .....          | (35,030 lbs.)                          | 1,165 68 | (38,909 lbs.)                          | 1,302 88 |
| Cornstalks.....     |  |          | 4 loads.                               | 4 00     |
| Calfskin .....      | 81 lbs.                                | 9 30     | 13                                     | 10 40    |

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## PRODUCTS FROM FARM AND GARDEN.

| ARTICLES.                | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPT. 30, 1897. |            | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPT. 30, 1898. |            |
|--------------------------|--|------------|--|------------|
|                          | Quantity.                              | Amount.    | Quantity.                              | Amount.    |
| Hides .....              | 300 lbs.                               | \$15 00    | 274 lbs.                               | \$16 44    |
| Hay .....                |  |            | 750 lbs.                               | 1 50       |
| Squashes .....           |  |            | 11                                     | 44         |
| Veal .....               |  |            | 250 lbs.                               | 13 75      |
| Total .....              |  | \$4,979 09 |  | \$6,129 74 |
| Amount transferred ..... |  | \$1,589 92 |  | \$2,463 58 |
| Amount sold .....        |  | 1,189 98   |  | 1,349 41   |
| Amount on hand .....     |  | 2,199 19   |  | 2,316 75   |
| Total .....              |  | \$4,979 09 |  | \$6,129 74 |

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**SIXTH BIENNIAL REPORT**

**OF THE**

**State Public School**

**FOR THE**

**Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.**

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**OFFICERS.**

S. S. LANDT..... SUPERINTENDENT.  
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A. F. BRANDT } ..... STATE AGENTS.  
J. H. VAN WAGNEN..... CLERK.

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MISS CAROLINE HARRIS.

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MISS IDA COREY.



## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:—In presenting my report at this time I feel assured of the fact that the experience of the past has fully justified the position taken in my last report—namely, that the state school occupies a different position from that of any other public institution.

The relation of the state as a parent has only been now thoroughly demonstrated. Wisconsin occupies a leading position in the country in caring for its neglected and dependent children. Visitors from other states have testified to the fact that Wisconsin has adopted a system that seems to have solved the problem of caring for orphans and indigent children.

The fact that there must be a different line of treatment from that followed in any other institution is even more apparent now than ever, and while discipline is indispensable, the relation of parent must dominate. The character of the children in this regard does not change, and some of them come from walks in life where viciousness is second nature.

They are thrown in with better children, whose lives have been pure and good, and hence come the contaminating influences so much talked about by those opposed to institutions caring for children, and to make the bad better and keep the good pure requires constant vigil on the part of the officers and teachers of the school.

To eliminate these objections and provide a better system for individual work, it has been our policy to reduce the number of inmates all that is possible, allowing only those to remain who are not desirable to place in private families.

To this end our efforts have been extremely successful in reducing the number nearly one-half during the last biennial period and leaving only one hundred and forty-one present at this

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date. Harshness, severe discipline and suspicious espionage are to be avoided in the care of these children, and in these particulars the state becomes a parent. To treat these unfortunate waifs according to the rules of an ordinary reformatory would be simply inhuman. A boy or girl may be mischievous, or perhaps a little boisterous, and yet not have a depraved nature.

Kindness, consideration and knowledge of the real nature of the child are indispensable in conducting the discipline of our state school.

I am convinced of the truth of the foregoing suggestions from our own experience and from the evidence of charitable people who have visited the school.

#### FINDING HOMES.

The greatest responsibility of the work, perhaps, lies in fitting the child to the home.

As it is not the design of the state to make the school a permanent home, our greatest duty is in finding one where the child and home are suited to each other. In this we seem to be especially fortunate.

During the period covered by this report we have made very few mistakes; the children placed out are happy and the families are pleased with the children.

We have tried to avoid uncongenial relations in this, and by constant surveillance and visiting avoid having a child in a home where kind treatment is not given. Our facilities have been increased for placing out children by having a sufficient number of good agents who thoroughly comprehend the work and their responsibility in the matter. Never before so few children have been returned, which is an evidence of the fact that the selection of the home was fortunate and mutually fitting, and by this increased attention given to finding homes we have been able to close two cottages and are getting along with eight or ten less employes than before. This does not appear from the tables.

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*Superintendent's Report..*

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## MANUAL TRAINING.

I regard the introduction of manual training in the small way in which we have begun as the most satisfactory plan by which many of our children who are not especially attractive and go into private homes at once, may be made useful by affording occupation for their hands and minds and fitting them for the domestic duties of life, and I find they take up this work of cooking, sewing, etc., in a manner which demonstrates the importance of extending the work. While we have merely begun in a small way as an experiment, I am convinced that along this line lies a future field of satisfactory results. This manual training work is under the direction of Miss Harris, of Appleton, and she has proven herself to be efficient and capable.

## IMPROVEMENTS.

Among the most important improvements is the central steam heating plant, which is giving perfect satisfaction. By this new system of heating we avoid danger of fire, find it cleaner and more healthy, and also that it is more economical and supplies an even temperature in all the buildings.

## BATHING ARRANGEMENTS.

The fact that "Cleanliness is next to godliness" is nowhere more true than here. With many children, bathing and clean habits are compulsory at first, though we find it possible to lead them by pride into a desire for bathing.

We now have arrangements by which each child can have separate bath and towels.

## SANITATION.

An old sewer which had become a menace to health and often a source of great trouble from it becoming clogged, and he having to trespass upon other lands to remove the obstructions, has

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been replaced by a perfect system of sewerage laid in another direction to connect with that of the city, and we have also obtained a water supply with the city water works giving an abundant supply of soft water for all purposes, except that we still retain the healthful artesian water for drinking.

THE FARM.

The farm continues to supply most of the vegetables needed by the school.

It is not only in fact that the farm is in a measure self-sustaining in certain products, but it also affords employment for the larger boys and leads to habits of industry. I find I can induce the boys to take pride in work and thereby overcome slothful habits.

We have been able to produce in certain lines all of the vegetables used by the school, and I would recommend the extension of that feature to even a greater extent than before. The farm has been greatly improved by judicious fertilizing, and nearly all of it is now in a highly productive condition.

Finally, gentlemen of the board, I desire to say that most of the success of the school is due to the intelligent support of the Board of Control, without which no amount of energy and enthusiasm on our part could produce the significant results attained.

The superintendent is also indebted to the excellent and loyal support of the officers and employes of the institution, and believe that nowhere can be found a like number of people more intelligent, better fitted for and more zealous in their work than in this institution. Respectfully submitted,

S. S. LANDT,  
*Superintendent.*

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 1.

*Number of children received and number dropped from the rolls during the period from November 27, 1886, when the first children were received until September 30, 1898; together with present disposition of all now wards of the state.*

|  | 1897. |        |        |        | 1898. |        |        |        |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
|  | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Total. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Total. |
| Total number received from the beginning .....                         | 1157  | 651    | ....   | 1808   | 1224  | 697    | ....   | 1921   |
| Of whom there has been:  |       |        |        |        |       |        |        |        |
| Adopted .....  | 29    | 49     | 78     | ....   | 38    | 56     | 94     | ....   |
| Married .....  | ....  | 8      | 8      | ....   | ....  | 14     | 14     | ....   |
| Died .....   | 15    | 10     | 25     | ....   | 16    | 11     | 27     | ....   |
| Returned to counties .....   | 77    | 70     | 147    | ....   | 88    | 75     | 163    | ....   |
| Returned to homes .....  | 7     | 1      | 8      | ....   | 7     | 1      | 8      | ....   |
| Hospital for insane .....  | 1     | 1      | 2      | ....   | 1     | 1      | 2      | ....   |
| Transferred to industrial school...                                    | 26    | 3      | 29     | ....   | 28    | 3      | 31     | ....   |
| Escaped from homes and not returned .....                              | 53    | 3      | 56     | ....   | 54    | 3      | 57     | ....   |
| Transferred to Wisconsin Home for Feeble Minded.....                   | 30    | 12     | 42     | ....   | 30    | 12     | 42     | ....   |
| Total .....  | 238   | 157    | ....   | 395    | 262   | 176    | ....   | 438    |
| Leaving as wards of the school and under charge of the board Sept. 30. | 919   | 494    | ....   | 1413   | 962   | 521    | ....   | 1483   |
| Of whom there are:   |       |        |        |        |       |        |        |        |
| In families on indenture .....   | 735   | 464    | 1199   | 841    | 499   | ....   | 1340   | ....   |
| In school for blind .....  | 1     | 2      | 3      | ....   | ....  | 2      | 2      | ....   |
| Committed to industrial school...                                      | 7     | 3      | 10     | ....   | ....  | ....   | ....   | ....   |
| Committed to Wisconsin Home for Feeble Minded .....                    | 30    | 12     | 42     | ....   | ....  | ....   | ....   | ....   |
| Remaining in the institution Sept. 30 .....                            | 141   | 13     | 159    | ....   | 121   | 20     | 141    | ....   |
| Total wards of the school.....   | 919   | 494    | ....   | 1413   | 962   | 521    | ....   | 1483   |

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TABLE No. 2.

*Movement of population.*

|   | 1897. | 1898. |
|---|-------|-------|
| No. remaining in the school Oct. 1, 1897 and 1898.....        | 266   | 223   |
| No. returned from homes.....                                  | 18    | 40    |
| No. admitted during the year.....                             | 204   | 113   |
| Total.....  | 488   | 376   |
| No. placed in homes on indenture during the year.....         | 249   | 211   |
| No. returned to counties from the institution.....            | 29    | 16    |
| No. died in the institution.....                              | 1     | 1     |
| No. transferred to industrial school from the institution.... | 4     | 1     |
| No. hospital for treatment.....                               | 4     | 6     |
| No. transferred to home for feeble minded.....                | 42    | ..... |
| No. remaining in the institution Sept. 30, 1897 and 1898 .... | 159   | 141   |
| Total .....   | 488   | 376   |
| Average in the school for the year.....                       | 181   | 159   |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 3.

*Ages of children admitted.*

|                              | 1897. |        |        | 1898. |        |        |
|------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
|                              | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
| Between 3 and 4 years.....   | 9     | 3      | 12     | 7     | 3      | 10     |
| Between 4 and 5 years.....   | 16    | 3      | 19     | 5     | 4      | 9      |
| Between 5 and 6 years.....   | 4     | 3      | 7      | 9     | 3      | 12     |
| Between 6 and 7 years.....   | 11    | 4      | 15     | 5     | 6      | 11     |
| Between 7 and 8 years.....   | 9     | 5      | 14     | 6     | 4      | 10     |
| Between 8 and 9 years.....   | 30    | 12     | 42     | 4     | 5      | 9      |
| Between 9 and 10 years.....  | 4     | 4      | 8      | 6     | 12     | 18     |
| Between 10 and 11 years..... | 17    | 9      | 26     | 9     | 5      | 14     |
| Between 11 and 12 years..... | 13    | 10     | 23     | 5     | 3      | 8      |
| Between 12 and 13 years..... | 17    | 4      | 21     | 6     | 3      | 9      |
| Between 13 and 14 years..... | 11    | 5      | 16     | 3     | .....  | 3      |
| Totals .....                 | 141   | 62     | 203    | 65    | 48     | 113    |

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TABLE No. 4.

*Parentage of children admitted.*

|   | 1897. | 1898. | Total. |
|---|-------|-------|--------|
| Orphans.....                                    | 11    | 8     | 19     |
| Having fathers living.....                      | 80    | 23    | 108    |
| Having mothers living.....                      | 34    | 28    | 62     |
| Having both parents living .....                | 77    | 50    | 127    |
| Total.....                                      | 202   | 114   | 316    |
| Number whose parents are separated.....         | 80    | 37    | 117    |
| Number abandoned by father.....                 | 66    | 51    | 117    |
| Number abandoned by mother.....                 | 7     | 17    | 24     |
| Number whose father was convicted of crime..... | 29    | 11    | 40     |
| Number whose mother was convicted of crime..... | 2     | 3     | 5      |
| Number whose father was intemperate.....        | 17    | 30    | 77     |
| Number whose mother was intemperate.....        | 2     | 4     | 6      |
| Number whose father was insane .....            |       | 8     | 8      |
| Number whose mother was insane .....            | 7     | ..... | 7      |
| Number who came from the poor house .....       | 35    | 6     | 41     |



*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE NO. 5.

*Nativity of parents of children committed in 1897 and 1898, and from the beginning.*

|                          | Up to<br>1897. | 1897 AND 1898. |        |        |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|--------|
|                          |                | Boys.          | Girls. | Total. |
| American .....           | 921            | 113            | 48     | 982    |
| Bohemian .....           | 31             | 1              | 1      | 33     |
| Belgian .....            | 3              | .....          | .....  | 3      |
| Danish .....             | 4              | .....          | .....  | 4      |
| Dutch .....              | 7              | .....          | .....  | 7      |
| English .....            | 26             | 4              | 4      | 34     |
| French .....             | 39             | 5              | 7      | 51     |
| German .....             | 305            | 50             | 32     | 387    |
| Irish .....              | 32             | 4              | 2      | 38     |
| Italian .....            | 1              | .....          | .....  | 1      |
| Negro .....              | 18             | 1              | 1      | 20     |
| Norwegian .....          | 72             | 7              | 1      | 80     |
| Poles .....              | 16             | 9              | 12     | 37     |
| Scotch .....             | 11             | .....          | .....  | 11     |
| Swiss .....              | 2              | .....          | .....  | 2      |
| Swede .....              | 16             | 2              | 2      | 20     |
| Welsh .....              | 7              | .....          | .....  | 7      |
| Unknown, not given ..... | 185            | 1              | 2      | 188    |
| Half breeds .....        | 6              | 4              | 4      | 14     |
| Canadian French .....    | 2              | .....          | .....  | 2      |
| Total .....              | 1,604          | 201            | 116    | 1,921  |

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TABLE NO. 6.

*Number received from each county.*

|                   | 1897. |        |        | 1898. |        |        |
|-------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
|                   | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
| Adams .....       | 2     | 1      | 3      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Ashland .....     | ..... | 1      | 1      | ..... | 3      | 3      |
| Barron .....      | 3     | 1      | 4      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Brown .....       | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Bayfield .....    | 5     | 1      | 6      | 1     | .....  | 1      |
| Chippewa .....    | 7     | 4      | 11     | 3     | 2      | 5      |
| Clark .....       | 3     | 4      | 7      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Columbia .....    | 2     | 3      | 5      | 2     | .....  | 2      |
| Crawford .....    | ..... | 2      | 2      | 2     | 1      | 3      |
| Dane .....        | ..... | .....  | .....  | 2     | 1      | 3      |
| Door .....        | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Douglas .....     | 6     | 2      | 8      | 4     | .....  | 4      |
| Dodge .....       | 3     | 1      | 4      | 2     | .....  | 2      |
| Dunn .....        | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | 2      | 2      |
| Eau Claire .....  | 6     | 4      | 10     | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Fond du Lac ..... | ..... | 3      | 3      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Florence .....    | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Grant .....       | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Green Lake .....  | 1     | 1      | 2      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Iowa .....        | 1     | .....  | 1      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Jackson .....     | 9     | .....  | 9      | 1     | .....  | 1      |
| Jefferson .....   | ..... | .....  | .....  | 4     | .....  | 4      |
| Juneau .....      | 1     | .....  | 1      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Kenosha .....     | ..... | .....  | .....  | 1     | 1      | 2      |
| Lafayette .....   | 5     | .....  | 5      | 2     | 1      | 3      |
| Langlade .....    | 2     | .....  | 2      | 2     | 1      | 3      |
| La Crosse .....   | 4     | 3      | 7      | 4     | 1      | 5      |
| Lincoln .....     | 4     | 1      | 5      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Manitowoc .....   | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Milwaukee .....   | 22    | 18     | 40     | 8     | 10     | 18     |
| Marathon .....    | 6     | 2      | 8      | 2     | 2      | 4      |
| Monroe .....      | 5     | 3      | 8      | 1     | 1      | 2      |
| Marinette .....   | 3     | 3      | 6      | 2     | .....  | 2      |
| Marquette .....   | ..... | 1      | 1      | 1     | .....  | 1      |
| Outagamie .....   | 3     | 2      | 5      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Price .....       | ..... | .....  | .....  | 2     | .....  | 2      |
| Polk .....        | 2     | 1      | 3      | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Pepin .....       | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Portage .....     | ..... | .....  | .....  | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Racine .....      | ..... | .....  | .....  | 1     | .....  | 1      |
| Richland .....    | 1     | 2      | 3      | 3     | 2      | 5      |
| Rock .....        | 7     | 1      | 8      | 3     | 1      | 4      |
| Sauk .....        | 4     | 2      | 6      | 3     | .....  | 3      |
| Sheboygan .....   | ..... | 2      | 2      | 3     | 1      | 4      |
| St. Croix .....   | ..... | .....  | .....  | 1     | 1      | 2      |

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TABLE No. 6 — Continued.

*Number received from each county.*

|                   | 1897. |        |        | 1898. |        |        |
|-------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
|                   | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
| Trempealeau ..... |       |        |        |       |        |        |
| Taylor .....      |       |        |        |       |        |        |
| Vernon .....      | 3     | 2      | 5      | 1     | 2      | 3      |
| Vilas .....       |       |        |        | 1     |        | 1      |
| Walworth .....    |       |        |        |       | 7      | 7      |
| Waupaca .....     |       |        |        |       |        |        |
| Winnebago .....   | 4     | 3      | 7      |       |        |        |
| Wood .....        |       |        |        |       |        |        |
| Waukesha .....    | 2     |        | 2      | 3     | 2      | 5      |
| Washburn .....    |       |        |        |       |        |        |
| Waushara .....    | 2     | 1      | 3      |       |        |        |
|                   | 128   | 75     | 203    | 65    | 42     | 107    |

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TABLE No. 7.

*Average number of children in school by months and years.*

|                     | 1897. |        |        | 1898. |        |        |
|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
|                     | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
| October . . . . .   | 145   | 30     | 175    | 121   | 44     | 165    |
| November . . . . .  | 140   | 32     | 172    | 120   | 35     | 155    |
| December . . . . .  | 148   | 36     | 184    | 119   | 36     | 155    |
| January . . . . .   | 150   | 38     | 188    | 125   | 34     | 159    |
| February . . . . .  | 146   | 40     | 186    | 130   | 32     | 162    |
| March . . . . .     | 144   | 39     | 183    | 128   | 34     | 162    |
| April . . . . .     | 140   | 35     | 175    | 130   | 36     | 166    |
| May . . . . .       | 142   | 38     | 180    | 131   | 30     | 161    |
| June . . . . .      | 146   | 39     | 185    | 128   | 26     | 154    |
| July . . . . .      | 149   | 40     | 189    | 126   | 35     | 161    |
| August . . . . .    | 145   | 32     | 177    | 128   | 32     | 160    |
| September . . . . . | 140   | 34     | 174    | 118   | 33     | 151    |
| Av. for the year.   | 145   | 36     | 181    | 117   | 33     | 159    |

*Statistical Tables.*

TABLE No. 8.

*Number received, indentured and placed in homes each month.*

|                | 1897.     |        |       |             |        |       | 1898.     |        |       |             |        |       |
|----------------|-----------|--------|-------|-------------|--------|-------|-----------|--------|-------|-------------|--------|-------|
|                | RECEIVED. |        |       | INDENTURED. |        |       | RECEIVED. |        |       | INDENTURED. |        |       |
|                | Boys.     | Girls. | Total | Boys.       | Girls. | Total | Boys.     | Girls. | Total | Boys.       | Girls. | Total |
| October .....  | 11        | 12     | 23    | 14          | 9      | 23    | 18        | 8      | 26    | 10          | 14     | 24    |
| November ...   | 12        | 3      | 15    | 11          | 13     | 24    | 6         | 3      | 9     | 16          | 7      | 23    |
| December ...   | 7         | 4      | 11    | 13          | 6      | 19    | 7         | 7      | 14    | 15          | 4      | 19    |
| January .....  | 16        | 8      | 24    | 13          | 3      | 16    | 6         | 4      | 10    | 5           | 4      | 9     |
| February ..... | 18        | 12     | 30    | 16          | 5      | 21    | 5         | 1      | 6     | 7           | 4      | 11    |
| March .....    | 18        | 4      | 22    | 21          | 10     | 31    | 1         | 5      | 6     | 21          | 6      | 27    |
| April .....    | 10        | 8      | 18    | 19          | 10     | 29    | 8         | 4      | 12    | 18          | 9      | 27    |
| May .....      | 11        | 1      | 12    | 14          | 13     | 27    | .....     | 3      | 3     | 12          | 8      | 20    |
| June .....     | 11        | 5      | 16    | 3           | 10     | 13    | 1         | 1      | 2     | 17          | 8      | 25    |
| July .....     | 7         | 3      | 10    | 5           | 6      | 11    | 4         | 5      | 9     | 6           | 1      | 7     |
| August .....   | 7         | 3      | 10    | 10          | 9      | 19    | 4         | 2      | 6     | 4           | 5      | 12    |
| September ..   | 8         | 5      | 13    | 8           | 8      | 16    | 7         | 3      | 10    | 4           | 3      | 7     |
| Total..        | 136       | 68     | 204   | 147         | 102    | 249   | 67        | 46     | 113   | 138         | 73     | 211   |

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TABLE NO. 9.

*Ages of children now in the institution.*

|   | Boys. | Girls. | Total. |
|---|-------|--------|--------|
| Number between the ages of 3 and 4.....   | 1     | .....  | 1      |
| Number between the ages of 4 and 5.....   | 6     | .....  | 6      |
| Number between the ages of 5 and 6.....   | 3     | .....  | 3      |
| Number between the ages of 6 and 7.....   | 9     | .....  | 9      |
| Number between the ages of 7 and 8.....   | 15    | .....  | 15     |
| Number between the ages of 8 and 9.....   | 10    | 2      | 12     |
| Number between the ages of 9 and 10.....  | 12    | 3      | 15     |
| Number between the ages of 10 and 11..... | 12    | 3      | 15     |
| Number between the ages of 11 and 12..... | 9     | 2      | 11     |
| Number between the ages of 12 and 13..... | 11    | 4      | 15     |
| Number between the ages of 13 and 14..... | 12    | 2      | 14     |
| Number between the ages of 14 and 15..... | 11    | 2      | 13     |
| Number between the ages of 15 and 16..... | 6     | 2      | 8      |
| Number between the ages of 16 and 17..... | 4     | .....  | 4      |
| Number between the ages of 17 and 18..... | ..... | .....  | .....  |
| Total September 30, 1898.....             | 121   | 20     | 141    |

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TABLE No. 10.

*Present grading of school.*

|                                       |    |
|---------------------------------------|----|
| No. in kindergarten .....             | 12 |
| No. reading in primer .....           | 23 |
| No. reading in first reader .....     | 8  |
| No. reading in second reader .....    | 29 |
| No. reading in third reader .....     | 12 |
| No. reading in fourth reader .....    | 10 |
| No. in introductory geography .....   | 38 |
| No. in grammar school geography ..... | 10 |
| No. in physiology .....               | 40 |
| No. in grammar proper .....           | 71 |
| No. working in numbers .....          | 60 |
| No. working in arithmetic .....       | 49 |

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## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1897.

|          |   |              |              |             |
|----------|---|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| 1896.    |   |              |              |             |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....   |              |              | \$30,891 11 |
| 1897.    |   |              |              |             |
| May 1    | Appropriation chap. 308, laws 1897..                            |              |              | 80,000 00   |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred from new hospital fund.                             |              |              | 43 53       |
| Sept. 30 | From steward for sundries.....                                  |              |              | 512 65      |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred for salary and expenses<br>of Board of Control..... | \$1,292 45   |              |             |
|          | Paid on account of current expenses<br>this year .....          | 53,991 59    |              |             |
|          | Balance in hands of steward \$690 04                            |              |              |             |
| Oct. 1   | Balance in hands of treas. \$55,473 21                          | 56,163 21    |              |             |
|          | Total.....  | \$111,447 29 | \$111,447 29 |             |

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1898.

|          |  |             |             |             |
|----------|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1897.    |  |             |             |             |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....  |             |             | \$56,163 25 |
| 1898.    |  |             |             |             |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred from Central H. Plant...                   |             |             | 6 10        |
| Sept. 30 | From steward for sundries.....                         |             |             | 319 19      |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred for expenses of Board of<br>Control.....   | \$1,065 00  |             |             |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account of current expenses<br>this year ..... | 46,458 21   |             |             |
|          | Balance in hands of steward. \$733 13                  |             |             |             |
| Oct. 1.. | Balance in hands of treas .... 8,232 20                | 8,965 33    |             |             |
|          |  | \$56,488 54 | \$56,488 54 |             |



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## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUNDS.

| Classified items.           | Balance available Oct. 1, 1896. | Appropriation, 1897. | Transfer'd from current expense fund. | Transfer'd to current expense fund. | Expended during biennial period. | Balance available Sept. 30, 1898. |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| New hospital building ..... | \$7,362 35                      | \$3,000 00           | \$195 12                              | \$43 53                             | \$10,513 94                      | .....                             |
| Central heating plant ..... |                                 | 10,000 00            | .....                                 | 6 10                                | 9,993 90                         | .....                             |
| Fire escapes .....          |                                 | 1,004 35             | .....                                 | .....                               | 515 45                           | \$488 90                          |
| Totals .....                | \$7,362 35                      | \$14,004 35          | \$195 12                              | \$49 63                             | \$21,023 29                      | \$488 90                          |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the State Public School for the*

| Classified Items.                                  | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1896. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer-<br>red to this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Amusements and means<br>of instruction.....        | \$1,669 56                          | \$578 63                         |  | \$2,248 19   |
| Agents expenses.....                               |                                     | 2,916 16                         |  | 2,916 16     |
| Barn, farm and garden..                            | 4,943 26                            | 1,936 29                         |  | 6,879 55     |
| Children's transporta-<br>tion.....                |                                     | 806 70                           |  | 806 70       |
| Clothing.....                                      | 894 46                              | 5,305 39                         |  | 6,199 85     |
| Discounts.....                                     |                                     |                                  |  |              |
| Drug and medical de-<br>partment.....              | 54 56                               | 1,309 61                         |  | 1,364 17     |
| Exchange.....                                      |                                     |                                  |  |              |
| Engine and boilers.....                            | 2,130 39                            | 71 54                            |  | 2,206 93     |
| Elopers.....                                       |                                     | 34 20                            |  | 34 20        |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....       |                                     | 7 39                             |  | 7 39         |
| Fire apparatus.....                                | 2,418 17                            | 10 25                            |  | 2,428 42     |
| Fuel.....  | 1,682 20                            | 3,847 12                         |  | 5,529 32     |
| Furniture.....                                     | 5,325 92                            | 904 41                           |  | 6,230 33     |
| Gas and other lights....                           | 966 20                              | 1,228 45                         |  | 2,094 65     |
| House furnishing.....                              | 9,338 70                            | 2,509 22                         |  | 11,847 92    |
| Laundry.....                                       | 1,303 22                            | 300 00                           |  | 1,603 22     |
| Library.....                                       | 14 50                               | 39 31                            |  | 53 81        |
| Machinery and tools....                            | 332 68                              | 26 42                            |  | 359 10       |
| Miscellaneous.....                                 | 56 06                               | 1,056 66                         |  | 1,112 72     |
| Officers' expenses.....                            |                                     | 313 80                           |  | 313 80       |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph.. | 167 52                              | 360 32                           |  | 527 84       |
| Real estate, including<br>building, etc.....       | 114,566 89                          |                                  | \$12,301 88  | 126,868 77   |
| Repairs and renewals...                            | 144 74                              | 4,771 50                         |  | 4,918 24     |
| Subsistence.....                                   | 1,457 94                            | 7,757 96                         | 3,470 06   | 12,685 96    |
| Wages and salaries.....                            |                                     | 17,315 70                        |  | 17,315 70    |
| Store house.....                                   |                                     | 792 44                           |  | 792 44       |
| Totals.....  | \$147,468 97                        | \$54,304 47                      | \$15,771 94  | \$217,345 38 |
| Discounts.....                                     |                                     | 128 88                           |  | 170,741 02   |
| Net expenses.....                                  |                                     | \$53,975 59                      |  | \$45,604 36  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary of

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## CURRENT EXPENSES

*fiscal year ending September 30th, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>Sept. 30th,<br>1897.                   | Cash rec'd<br>on this acc't<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>acc't during<br>the year. | Total.             | Gained.    | Expended.   |
|---|--|---|--------------------|------------|-------------|
| \$1,727 15  |  |   | \$1,727 15         |            | \$521 04    |
| 5,361 55  | \$120 00<br>85 84                                  | \$1,470 06  | 120 00<br>8,917 45 |            | 2,796 16    |
|   |  |   |                    | \$2,037 90 |             |
| 1,192 33  | 1 25   |   | 1,193 58           |            | 906 70      |
|   |  | 128 88  | 128 88             | 128 88     | 5,006 27    |
| 172 54  |  |   | 172 54             |            | 1,191 63    |
| 2,188 10  |  |   | 2,188 10           |            | 18 83       |
|   |  |   |                    |            | 34 20       |
| 2,360 88  |  |   | 2,360 88           |            | 7 39        |
| 2,185 87  |  |   | 2,185 87           |            | 67 54       |
| 5,741 11  |  |   | 5,741 11           |            | 3,343 45    |
| 944 45  | 42 50  |   | 986 95             |            | 489 22      |
| 10,174 74   | 78   |   | 10,175 52          |            | 1,107 70    |
| 1,301 84  |  |   | 1,301 84           |            | 1,672 40    |
| 43 66   |  |   | 43 66              |            | 301 38      |
| 346 09  |  |   | 346 09             |            | 10 15       |
| 56 06   | 1 00   | 620 88  | 677 94             |            | 13 01       |
|   |  |   |                    |            | 434 78      |
|   |  |   |                    |            | 313 80      |
| 171 80  |  |   | 171 80             |            | 356 04      |
| 126,868 77  |  |   | 126,868 77         |            |             |
| 672 28  | 207 23   | 1,935 59  | 2,815 10           |            | 2,103 14    |
| 1,774 80  | 48 75  |   | 1,823 55           |            | 10,862 41   |
|   | 1 80   |   | 1 80               |            | 17,313 90   |
|   | 3 50   | 788 94  | 792 44             |            |             |
| \$163,284 02  | \$512 65   | \$6,944 35  | \$170,741 02       | \$2,166 78 | \$48,771 14 |
|   |  |   |                    |            | 2,166 78    |
|   |  |   |                    |            | 46,604 36   |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control |  |   |                    |            | 1,292 45    |
|   |  |   |                    |            | \$47,896 81 |

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## STATEMENT OF

*At the State Public School for the*

| Classified items.                                  | Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer-<br>red to this<br>account<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Amusements and means<br>of instruction.....        | \$1,727 15                          | \$391 48                         | .....  | \$2,118 63   |
| Agents' expenses.....                              | .....                               | 2,288 36                         | .....  | 2,288 36     |
| Barn, farm and garden..                            | 5,361 55                            | 1,616 63                         | .....  | 6,978 18     |
| Children's transportation                          | .....                               | 683 55                           | .....  | 683 55       |
| Clothing.....                                      | 1,192 33                            | 4,024 20                         | .....  | 5,216 53     |
| Discounts.....                                     | .....                               | .....                            | .....  | .....        |
| Drug and medical depart-<br>ment .....             | 172 54                              | 831 96                           | .....  | 1,004 50     |
| Exchange.....                                      | .....                               | .....                            | .....  | .....        |
| Engine and boiler.....                             | 2,188 10                            | 33 82                            | .....  | 2,221 92     |
| Elopers.....                                       | .....                               | 19 62                            | .....  | 19 62        |
| Freight and express (not<br>classified).....       | .....                               | 9 70                             | .....  | 9 70         |
| Fire apparatus.....                                | 2,360 88                            | .....                            | .....  | 2,360 88     |
| Fuel.....  | 2,185 87                            | 3,513 53                         | .....  | 5,699 40     |
| Furniture.....                                     | 5,741 11                            | 42 06                            | .....  | 5,783 17     |
| Gas and other lights....                           | 944 45                              | 1,827 81                         | .....  | 2,772 26     |
| House furnishing.....                              | 10,174 74                           | 1,300 97                         | .....  | 11,475 71    |
| Laundry.....                                       | 1,301 84                            | 182 01                           | .....  | 1,483 85     |
| Library.....                                       | 43 66                               | .....                            | .....  | 43 66        |
| Machinery and tools....                            | 346 09                              | 24 60                            | .....  | 370 69       |
| Miscellaneous.....                                 | 56 06                               | 282 47                           | .....  | 338 53       |
| Officers' expenses.....                            | .....                               | 145 69                           | .....  | 145 69       |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery and telegraph.. | 171 80                              | 315 22                           | .....  | 487 02       |
| Real estate, including<br>buildings.....           | 126,868 77                          | .....                            | \$10,000 00  | 136,868 77   |
| Repairs and renewals....                           | 672 28                              | 2,822 90                         | .....  | 3,495 18     |
| Subsistence.....                                   | 1,774 80                            | 8,020 20                         | 2,702 86   | 12,497 86    |
| Wages and salaries.....                            | .....                               | 17,512 75                        | .....  | 17,512 75    |
| Store house.....                                   | .....                               | .....                            | .....  | .....        |
| Fire and boiler insurance                          | .....                               | 590 00                           | .....  | 590 00       |
| Totals.....  | \$163,284 02                        | \$46,479 53                      | \$12,702 86  | \$222,466 41 |
| Discounts.....                                     | .....                               | 74 56                            | .....  | 176,280 70   |
| Net expenses.....                                  | .....                               | \$46,404 97                      | .....  | \$46,185 71  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by the Secretary

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## CURRENT EXPENSES

*fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1898. | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Transfer-<br>red from this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.   |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|--------------|------------|-------------|
| \$1,911 81                          |  |  | \$1,911 81   |            | \$206 82    |
| 5,313 67                            | \$151 62   | \$2,702 86   | 8,168 15     | \$1,189 97 | 2,288 36    |
| 1,091 26                            | 93 80  |  | 93 80        |            | 589 75      |
|                                     | 11 25  | 3 60   | 1,106 11     |            | 4,110 42    |
|                                     |  | 70 96  | 70 96        | 70 96      |             |
| 145 83                              |  |  | 145 83       |            | 858 67      |
| 1,971 55                            |  |  | 1,971 55     |            | 250 37      |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | 19 62       |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | 9 70        |
| 2,302 98                            |  |  | 2,302 98     |            | 57 90       |
| 2,792 57                            |  |  | 2,792 57     |            | 2,906 83    |
| 5,716 96                            |  |  | 5,716 96     |            | 66 21       |
| 931 16                              | 18 00  |  | 949 16       |            | 1,823 10    |
| 9,884 70                            |  |  | 9,884 70     |            | 1,591 01    |
| 1,400 94                            |  |  | 1,400 94     |            | 82 91       |
| 39 30                               |  |  | 39 30        |            | 4 36        |
| 353 12                              |  |  | 353 12       |            | 17 57       |
| 56 06                               |  |  | 56 06        |            | 282 47      |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | 145 69      |
| 171 79                              |  |  | 171 79       |            | 315 23      |
| 136,868 77                          |  |  | 136,868 77   |            |             |
| 738 14                              |  |  | 738 14       |            | 2,757 04    |
| 1,493 48                            | 44 52  |  | 1,538 00     |            | 10,959 86   |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | 17,512 75   |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | 590 00      |
| \$173,184 09                        | \$319 19   | \$2,777 42   | \$176,290 70 | \$1,260 93 | \$47,446 64 |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | 1,260 93    |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | \$46,185 71 |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | 1,065 20    |
|                                     |  |  |              |            | \$47,250 71 |

of State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control.....

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## STATEMENT OF MONEYS RECEIVED AT THE INSTITUTION.

| Classification.                | Year ending<br>Sept. 30, '97. | Year ending<br>Sept. 30, '98. |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Agents' expenses.....          | \$120 00                      | .....                         |
| Barn, farm and garden.....     | 85 84                         | \$151 62                      |
| Clothing.....                  | 1 25                          | 11 25                         |
| Gas and other lights.....      | 42 50                         | 18 00                         |
| House furnishing.....          | 78                            | .....                         |
| Miscellaneous.....             | 1 00                          | .....                         |
| Repairs and renewals.....      | 207 23                        | .....                         |
| Subsistence.....               | 48 75                         | 44 52                         |
| Store house.....               | 3 50                          | .....                         |
| Wages and salaries.....        | 1 80                          | .....                         |
| Children's transportation..... | .....                         | 93 80                         |
| Fire escapes.....              | .....                         | 4 35                          |
| Total.....                     | \$512 65                      | \$323 54                      |

*Statistical Tables.*

## FARM AND GARDEN PRODUCTS.

| ARTICLES.              | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPT. 30, 1897. |            | FOR THE YEAR ENDING<br>SEPT. 30, 1898. |            |
|------------------------|--|------------|--|------------|
|                        | Quantity.                              | Value.     | Quantity.                              | Value.     |
| Beef .....             | 12,695 lbs.                            | \$655 56   | 6,366 lb.                              | \$381 96   |
| Beets .....            | 150 bu.                                | 30 00      | 120 bu.                                | 30 00      |
| Beets .....            | 52 doz.                                | 5 20       | 110 doz.                               | 7 55       |
| Beet greens .....      | 6 b'chs.                               | 3 00       | 3bu                                    | 1 20       |
| Beans, string .....    | 17 b'chs.                              | 12 75      | 19 bu.                                 | 14 25      |
| Cabbage .....          | 1,257 heads.                           | 62 35      | 436 heads.                             | 21 80      |
| Corn, sweet, ear ..... | 554 doz.                               | 55 40      | 1,002 doz.                             | 50 10      |
| Cauliflower .....      | 21 head.                               | 4 00       | 67 heads.                              | 9 10       |
| Cucumbers .....        | 2,526 doz.                             | 129 10     | 2,189 doz.                             | 66 69      |
| Carrots .....          | 150 bu.                                | 30 00      | 20 bu.                                 | 7 00       |
| Carrots .....          | 16 doz.                                | 80         | 28 doz.                                | 1 40       |
| Currants .....         | 6 qt.                                  | 60         |  |            |
| Lard .....             | 1,956 lbs.                             | 156 48     | 2,128 lbs.                             | 157 56     |
| Lettuce .....          | 74 b'chs.                              | 37 50      | 25 b'chs.                              | 12 50      |
| Milk .....             | 143,618 lbs.                           | 1,436 18   | 113,138 lbs.                           | 1,131 38   |
| Onions .....           | 300 bu.                                | 150 00     | 200 bu.                                | 150 00     |
| Onions .....           | 1,118 doz.                             | 55 90      | 1,225 doz.                             | 61 25      |
| Peas .....             | 33 b'chs.                              | 24 75      | 16 bu.                                 | 12 00      |
| Pork .....             | 8,869 lbs.                             | 481 66     | 5,830 lbs.                             | 391 24     |
| Parsnips .....         | 20 bu.                                 | 4 00       | 2 doz.                                 | 10         |
| Potatoes .....         |  |            | 1,100 bu.                              | 275 00     |
| Radishes .....         | 220 doz.                               | 11 00      |  |            |
| Rutabagas .....        | 110 bu.                                | 22 00      | 15 bu.                                 | 3 75       |
| Squash .....           | 191                                    | 9 55       | 166                                    | 8 30       |
| Tomatoes .....         | 455 doz.                               | 22 75      | 231 doz.                               | 11 55      |
| Turnips .....          |  |            | 1 doz.                                 | 10         |
| Veal .....             | 944 lbs.                               | 67 68      | 750 lbs.                               | 63 93      |
| Total .....            |  | \$3,468 71 |  | \$2,869 71 |





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FIRST BIENNIAL REPORT

OF THE

**Home for Feeble-Minded**

FOR THE

**Two Fiscal Years Ending September 30, 1898.**

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## OFFICERS.

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A. W. WILMARTH, M. D. .... SUPERINTENDENT  
C. K. ERWIN ..... STEWARD  
MISS VIOLA L. HAYTER ..... CLERK

### TEACHERS.

MISS M. A. COLLINS. .... MISS SUE A. ERWIN  
MISS IDA THOMPSON ..... MISS GRACE BOUTELLE  
MISS MARY R. CAMPBELL ..... MISS NELLIE HAYNES

### MATRONS.

MRS. E. K. JOSLIN ..... MRS. J. I. BREWER  
MRS. S. J. JENKINS ..... MISS JENNIE QUICK  
MISS JESSIE ENOCH ..... STENOGRAPHER  
MISS ELSIE M. LOOMIS ..... DRUGGIST

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:—I submit herewith the first biennial report of the Wisconsin Home for Feeble-Minded.

The two cottages built from the appropriation of 1895 were ready for occupancy on the 11th day of June, 1897, and on that day were thrown open to public inspection, together with the laundry and power house. On the 16th of June the first inmate was received, and other children were admitted as rapidly as they could be properly organized into groups, until the buildings were filled. The legislature of 1897 granted a further appropriation of \$75,000, which was applied to the laying of steam and water mains and electric cables for all the buildings contemplated in the original plan, and for a new barn and the erection of the second cottage to contain 150 inmates. This second building was completed and ready for occupancy on the 15th day of March, 1898, and was immediately filled from the numerous applicants in waiting. There are a few beds still unoccupied in the departments for large girls of the best grade, and small boys of school grade. As it is manifestly impracticable and unwise to mingle children closely who differ widely in grade of intelligence, we have been obliged to refuse the great number of custodial cases applying, and keep these places for proper applicants. So numerous are these, however, that the institution will soon be completely filled, and we shall be obliged to refuse all applications except as death or removals create vacancies. Nearly two hundred unfortunates are now seeking admission and we have no facilities for receiving and caring for them.

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The movement of population since the opening has been as follows:

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Admitted previous to September 30, 1897.....         | 213 |
| Died .....   | 3   |
| Discharged .....                                     | 0   |
| Transferred to other institutions.....               | 1   |
| Remaining September 30, 1897.....                    | 209 |
| Admitted September 30, 1897, to October 1, 1898..... | 186 |
| Died during that period.....                         | 15  |
| Discharged .....                                     | 4   |
| Transferred .....                                    | 3   |
| Remaining September 30, 1898 .....                   | 373 |

Inmates are grouped strictly on the cottage plan, as originally designed in planning the institution. Those of nearly the same grade of intelligence form families of about thirty-five members. To each group is assigned a sitting or day room, bath and clothes rooms and a dormitory. And they live as far as possible isolated from children of a different grade.

Two general divisions are made, custodial and school cases. The former require constant oversight and care, being unable to attend to their own wants. They number at present 110. The latter class are teachable and are scattered through the schools and industrial classes as follows:

28 are in the laundry where they have been taught to do a large amount of excellent work.

13 are in the sewing room where they are engaged in making and repairing garments and household linen.

22 are on the farm or in the shops.

32 are engaged in miscellaneous work about the grounds.

87 are engaged in household work.

122 are enrolled in the schools.

A considerable number of these children attend school part of the day and part of the day are engaged in work.

In classifying our children more definitely we have adopted the school classification as more accurate and satisfactory than any other. This comprises, first: imbeciles of high, middle and low grade, all of whom are teachable to a greater or less extent. Second: idiots, excitable or apathetic, who lack intelligence to

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attend to their simplest wants, and are not improvable to any marked extent. Between these two groups we find children who have advanced a little mentally but have soon reached their limit and remain stationary, who are termed idio-imbeciles. Our present population includes these groups in the following numbers:

|                              |     |
|------------------------------|-----|
| High grade imbeciles .....   | 123 |
| Middle grade imbeciles ..... | 132 |
| Low grade imbeciles .....    | 64  |
| Idio-imbeciles .....         | 21  |
| Excitable idiots .....       | 24  |
| Apathetic idiots .....       | 33  |
| Epileptic mania .....        | 2   |

The above mentioned cases of epileptic mania were found to be ~~unsuited~~ for our care and were transferred to the proper institution.

A still further classification might be made into those defective through accidental causes, as by infantile disease, and those who inherit a tendency to degeneration.

Instances of the first may, and often do, occur in families where no mental or physical taint exists. It is liable to occur in families where generations of high mental training have developed a sensitive nervous organization.

We have examples of the second all about us. We have individuals under our care from many families where there are from three to five feeble-minded persons. We have an application from a family where there are nine imbeciles, and the unmarried daughters are increasing the number. Thus we have "Acquired" and "Inherited" feeble-mindedness.

The imbecile classes are not only teachable but may be often made exceedingly useful in occupations which are carefully selected as best adapted to their most fully developed faculties. During the brief time the "Home" has been organized, girls and boys have been taught in the laundry to wash and iron nearly 7,000 pieces a week. In the sewing room a large amount of work is accomplished each day, beside fine needle work and lace

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making which is taught to a class of girls a limited time each day by a teacher skilled in this work. Seventy acres have been cultivated the past summer, the labor being largely done by a group of large boys under the direction of a farmer. In the carpenter and shoe shops and bakery creditable work is being accomplished, while a large group of less intelligent boys cleared the farm from stones and the pasture from brush and prepared the land for cultivation.

To educate the children to the highest degree of usefulness that their limited powers allow, schools have been established and two teachers of high standing in this especial field were secured. With these, others were engaged who have taken up the work with enthusiasm and are now doing excellent work.

As the buildings erected are ultimately designed for custodial cases, the school rooms are few in number, although excellent in design, and we are already cramped for room. Not all the children who might be benefited can be accommodated. A school house, the second floor of which might be left without partitions for an assembly hall, is very much needed.

The present arrangement of the "Home," while it allows provision for the largest possible number of children and relieves to the greatest possible extent the strong pressure for admission, is illy adapted for the assembling of all the available children for amusement or instruction.

The three objects which prompted the foundation of the "Home" are already being largely realized. First, the relief of over-burdened families. In a family an idiot child not only takes the major portion of the mother's time, but robs the other children of the care which is their due, and such deprivation must influence their future career to the direct injury of society. In an institution one employee takes care on an average of five or more of these afflicted ones, thus giving the time and labor of the relieved mothers to their families and to society. Second, the curtailment of the increase of the feeble-minded and epileptic by the sequestration of feeble-minded women of child

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bearing age. No one marries so early and so often as a high grade imbecile woman, as it is often the only means of securing support. Besides, the number of illegitimate births from this class is startling. About eighty of this class of girls, many of whom have already fallen victims of their lack of moral sense and mental strength, are securely sheltered in the care of the "Home," living useful lives in caring for the weaker classes, with all their simple wants supplied. Their mother instinct is satisfied by the care of the little ones in the nursery department, and injudicious marriage with its defective fruits safely beyond their reach. Third, the education of the imbecile to his highest sphere of usefulness. This must not be interpreted as giving hope of any pronounced advancement in scholarly attainments. They may reach a fair proficiency in the branches taught in the intermediate grades of the common school. But more important still is their education in color, form, and muscular control in which they are so often sadly deficient, and without which their training for future usefulness would be entirely impracticable. Their progress in industrial training has already been rehearsed. All these branches will be extended as fast as the admission of new children and the proper preparation of the older ones make it practicable. The extension of our farm work is probably the most promising of all occupations. The large amount of land owned by the state enables us to increase this branch of work to any desired limit, and our children appear especially adapted to this, the simplest and most primitive of all occupations.

The health of the inmates has been, as a rule, excellent. It will be noticed in the table of deaths that but one death has occurred in the school department. A considerable number have died in the custodial department where the children age early and their vitality is nearly exhausted. Moreover, we have received sixty-two epileptics in whom the disease was active, and many cases of progressive brain disease when death was only a question of time, several dying in a comparatively short time

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after admission. A few cases of epidemic disease have occurred, none serious, and trivial ailments, such as the lowered vitality of these children renders them peculiarly liable to, have come and gone. They have been peculiarly free from their especial foe, lung disease.

#### IMPROVEMENTS.

Directly after the opening of the institution it was seen that the condition of the park, which was filled with underbrush, was not consistent with the safe care of the children, as they could readily become lost in the thickets and in severe weather, possibly become frozen before being found. The entire wooded portion of the park, with the exception of the small tract already cleaned, was grubbed and grass seed sown, so that it is now reasonably subdued. Nearly an acre of sandy soil near the buildings was covered with black earth and sown with grass seed. Four hundred and thirty-seven trees have been planted to replace the native growth of black oak which is already dying out. Stone drains have been put in through the glens where the wash of spring and fall rains threatened damage.

The old barn and horse shed which formerly disfigured the lawn have been torn down and rebuilt into a piggery on the farm. A new storage tank is in process of construction at the spring, which will increase our reserve water supply to nearly 25,000 gallons.

The main drive has been covered with clay and rolled hard, making an excellent road from the buildings to the entrance. Many minor improvements have been made.

#### PRESENT NEEDS.

Notwithstanding the provision made by the state we have not reached a point where it is either wisdom or economy to stop. A letter from a county judge received today cites the case of a girl under 26 who is about to become a mother for the fifth time,



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all her offspring being town charges. Letters are constantly received with accounts of mothers left alone, unable to support and care for their healthy offspring because burdened by the care of an idiot child. Stories are recorded of imbecile boys on the streets, unschooled and undisciplined, an evil example and sometimes a menace to younger children. Society should be purged from such elements. Their increase should be obstructed.

Moreover, the "Home" could be conducted on a more economical basis were our present population increased to 600, to which number the present waiting applicants would nearly bring it. Our per capita expense was materially lowered by the added population of our new building and it would be still further lessened by further increase in our number.

In view of these facts and others cited earlier in my report, I would respectfully present the following additions as needed to enable this institution to do the best work in the immediate future.

Three cottages, each to accommodate 75 children, built on the simple but convenient plan of our present boys' epileptic building.

One school house having school rooms below and an assembly hall above.

Our appropriation last year was too small to build an office building and have sufficient funds remaining to provide accommodations for any considerable number of applicants. It was largely expended in building the second custodial building, and offices were improvised in the small and inconvenient rooms in this structure.

Increasing office work and the accumulation of valuable books and papers make suitable office accommodations more and more necessary, and I therefore request that the first portion, at least, of the administration building, as designed in the original plan, be added to the list of needed buildings.

The board walk now connecting the different departments

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should be replaced by some more durable material, preferably granolith, to save the cost of continuous repairs.

The estimated cost of these additions is as follows:

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Administration building front.....   | \$40,000 00 |
| Girls' epileptic building .....  | 25,000 00   |
| Boys' cottage, and girls' cottage.....   | 35,000 00   |
| School house .....   | 20,000 00   |
| Steam and electrical extensions and and appliances, water and sewer<br>cement walks and furnishing ..... | 33,000 00   |

Amusement has been furnished the children during the past year by weekly dancing classes, an exercise which not only furnishes diversion, but is extremely valuable as a method of muscular training. Lantern exhibitions were given in the different buildings during the winter. School exhibitions by the different teachers not only furnished interesting entertainment but stimulated the children to better work. I desire to acknowledge the contributions of the friends of the institution to our Christmas festival. Their liberality contributed a great deal to the children's enjoyment of that day.

I cannot too earnestly express my appreciation of the hearty co-operation of the officers and other employees of the "Home" during the organization and subsequent growth of this work. It has enabled us to reach our present stage of growth without serious accident and without noticeable friction.

To the gentlemen of the Board of Control I desire to express my appreciation of their unvarying kindness and wise counsel which has always been timely and helpful. Their prompt attention to every appeal, and their active interest in all the details of the work has made many of the more difficult parts easy of fulfillment.

Respectfully submitted,

ALFRED W. WILMARTH,  
Superintendent.

*Statistical Tables.**Counties and number of children admitted from each.*

|                   |       |                   |       |
|-------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|
| Ashland .....     | 2     | Marathon .....    | 6     |
| Adams .....       | 2     | Marinette .....   | 5     |
| Barron .....      | 7     | Marquette .....   | 1     |
| Bayfield .....    | ..... | Milwaukee .....   | 56    |
| Brown .....       | 7     | Monroe .....      | 6     |
| Buffalo .....     | 2     | Oconto .....      | 4     |
| Burnett .....     | 1     | Oneida .....      | 2     |
| Calumet .....     | 4     | Outagamie .....   | 8     |
| Chippewa .....    | 9     | Ozaukee .....     | ..... |
| Clark .....       | 5     | Polk .....        | 3     |
| Columbia .....    | 7     | Pepin .....       | 1     |
| Crawford .....    | 7     | Pierce .....      | 6     |
| Dane .....        | 14    | Portage .....     | 6     |
| Dodge .....       | 10    | Price .....       | 3     |
| Door .....        | 5     | Racine .....      | 7     |
| Douglas .....     | 1     | Richland .....    | 5     |
| Dunn .....        | 4     | Rock .....        | 14    |
| Eau Claire .....  | 7     | St. Croix .....   | 9     |
| Florence .....    | ..... | Sauk .....        | 8     |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 7     | Sawyer .....      | 1     |
| Forest .....      | ..... | Shawano .....     | 2     |
| Grant .....       | 7     | Sheboygan .....   | 7     |
| Green .....       | 3     | Taylor .....      | 3     |
| Green Lake .....  | 4     | Trempealeau ..... | 4     |
| Iowa .....        | 4     | Vernon .....      | 7     |
| Iron .....        | 2     | Vilas .....       | ..... |
| Jefferson .....   | 7     | Walworth .....    | 10    |
| Juneau .....      | 2     | Washburn .....    | ..... |
| Jackson .....     | 5     | Washington .....  | 2     |
| Kenosha .....     | 3     | Waukesha .....    | 7     |
| Kewaunee .....    | 6     | Waupaca .....     | 4     |
| La Crosse .....   | 14    | Waushara .....    | 5     |
| Lafayette .....   | 2     | Winnebago .....   | 16    |
| Langlade .....    | 1     | Wood .....        | 7     |
| Lincoln .....     | 2     |                   |       |
| Manitowoc .....   | 11    | Total .....       | 399   |

### *Home for Feeble-Minded.*

#### *Age on admission.*

|                     |     |                    |     |
|---------------------|-----|--------------------|-----|
| Under 5 years.....  | 1   | Over 25 years..... | 46  |
| 5 to 10 years.....  | 66  | Unknown.....       | 16  |
| 10 to 15 years..... | 117 |                    |     |
| 15 to 20 years..... | 98  | Total.....         | 399 |
| 20 to 25 years..... | 55  |                    |     |

#### *Assigned cause in cases when heredity is denied.*

|                          |    |                            |     |
|--------------------------|----|----------------------------|-----|
| Epilepsy.....            | 18 | Instrumental delivery..... | 1   |
| Infantile disease.....   | 28 | Fright.....                | 1   |
| Injury to mother.....    | 2  | Premature birth.....       | 2   |
| Parental ill health..... | 5  | No cause given.....        | 86  |
| Maternal worry.....      | 1  |                            |     |
| Traumatism.....          | 6  | Total.....                 | 152 |
| Maternal impression..... | 2  |                            |     |

#### *Table of heredity.*

|                                     | Father's side. | Mother's side. | Both sides. | Brother or sister. | Parent and brother or sister. | Other relatives. |    |     |     | Totals. |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|----|-----|-----|---------|
| Direct.....                         | 11             | 33             | 6           |                    |                               |                  |    |     |     | 50      |
| Collateral.....                     |                |                |             | 40                 |                               | 5                |    |     |     | 45      |
| Direct and collateral.....          | 1              | 2              | 2           |                    | 13                            |                  |    |     |     | 18      |
| Present, but degree not stated..... |                |                |             |                    |                               |                  | 10 |     |     | 10      |
| No heredity.....                    |                |                |             |                    |                               |                  |    | 152 |     | 152     |
| History incomplete.....             |                |                |             |                    |                               |                  |    |     | 124 | 124     |
| Total.....                          | 12             | 35             | 8           | 40                 | 13                            | 5                | 10 | 152 | 124 | 399     |

*Statistical Tables.**Deaths.*

|               | SCHOOL. |         | CUSTODIAL. |         | Total. |
|---------------|---------|---------|------------|---------|--------|
|               | Male.   | Female. | Male.      | Female. |        |
| 1897 .....    |         |         | 2          | 1       | 3      |
| 1897-98 ..... | 1       |         | 9          | 5       | 15     |

*Causes of death.*

|                             |   |                             |    |
|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|----|
| Apoplexy .....              | 1 | Malnutrition.....           | 1  |
| Bright's disease.....       | 1 | Phthisis .....              | 2  |
| Chronic brain disease ..... | 4 | Pneumonia.....              | 1  |
| Enteritis .....             | 1 | Progressive muscular athro- |    |
| Epilepsy .....              | 2 | phy.....                    | 1  |
| Gastric ulcer .....         | 1 |                             |    |
| Gastritis.....              | 1 | Total.....                  | 18 |
| Heart disease.....          | 2 |                             |    |

*Value of repairs made in the shoe shop.*

| 1898.         |         | 1898.           |          |
|---------------|---------|-----------------|----------|
| January.....  | \$16 50 | July .....      | \$73 10  |
| February..... | 37 75   | August .....    | 72 80    |
| March .....   | 53 60   | September ..... | 87 40    |
| April.....    | 92 15   |                 |          |
| May .....     | 135 40  |                 |          |
| June.....     | 80 15   |                 | \$648 85 |

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*Amount of work done in sewing rooms.*

|                         |     |                        |       |
|-------------------------|-----|------------------------|-------|
| Aprons .....            | 464 | Napkins .....          | 740   |
| Bags, laundry .....     | 3   | Napkin holders .....   | 6     |
| Bibs .....              | 118 | Night dresses .....    | 185   |
| Caps .....              | 3   | Night shirts .....     | 100   |
| Chemises .....          | 114 | Pants .....            | 13    |
| Combination suits ..... | 17  | Pillows .....          | 74    |
| Corset covers .....     | 1   | Pillow slips .....     | 490   |
| Curtains .....          | 82  | Sheets .....           | 455   |
| Dresses .....           | 393 | Sleeves, ticking ..... | 28    |
| Dresses repaired .....  | 63  | Shirts, under .....    | 303   |
| Drawers .....           | 432 | Skirts .....           | 321   |
| Dresser cloths .....    | 3   | Shrouds .....          | 1     |
| Diapers .....           | 730 | Table cloths .....     | 44    |
| Embroidery cases .....  | 8   | Towels .....           | 1,132 |
| Garters .....           | 24  | Waists, boys' .....    | 86    |
| Jackets .....           | 3   | Waists, girls' .....   | 41    |
| Mittens .....           | 23  | Waists, shirt .....    | 11    |

*Money received for safe keeping for inmates.*

|                       |         |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Received .....        | \$39 02 |
| Returned .....        | 9 88    |
| Balance on hand ..... | \$29 14 |

*Special deposit money.*

|                       |        |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Jennie Freola .....   | \$2 00 |
| Balance on hand ..... | \$2 00 |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1897.

|          |   |             |             |
|----------|---|-------------|-------------|
| 1897.    |   |             |             |
| Mch. 6   | Appropriation, Chap. 16, Laws 1897.....             |             | \$2,500 00  |
| May 1    | Appropriation, Chap. 308, Laws 1897 ..              |             | 60,000 00   |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries.....                           |             | 161 02      |
|          | Transferred for expenses of board of control .....  | \$1,009 83  |             |
|          | Paid on account of current expenses this year ..... | 22,858 10   |             |
|          | Balance in hands of treasurer.....                  | \$38,565 68 |             |
|          | Balance in hands of steward 227 41                  |             |             |
|          |   | 38,793 09   |             |
|          |   | \$62,661 02 | \$62,661 02 |

## STATEMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSE FUND, 1898.

|          |  |             |             |
|----------|--|-------------|-------------|
| 1897.    |  |             |             |
| Oct. 1   | Balance .....                                      |             | \$38,793 09 |
| 1898.    |  |             |             |
| Jan. 4   | From counties.....                                 |             | 4,612 55    |
| Aug. 3   | Authority to create indebtedness.....              |             | 18,000 00   |
| Oct. 1   | Authority to create indebtedness.....              |             | 27,000 00   |
| Sept. 30 | Steward for sundries.....                          |             | 710 21      |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred for expense of Board of Control.....   | \$1,270 00  |             |
| Sept. 30 | Transferred to building and improvement fund ..... | 14,991 63   |             |
| Sept. 30 | Paid on account of current expenses this year..... | 65,926 05   |             |
| Sept. 30 | Bal. in hands of treasurer. \$6,732 68             |             |             |
| Sept. 30 | Bal. in hands of steward.. 195 49                  |             |             |
|          |  | 6,928 17    |             |
|          | Total.....   | \$89,115 85 | \$89,115 85 |

*Home for Feeble-Minded.*

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**STATEMENT OF**  
*At the Wisconsin Home for Feeble-Minded for*

| Classified Items                                 | Purchased during year. | Transferred to this account during the year. | Total.       |
|--|------------------------|--|--------------|
| Amusements and means of instruction              | \$196 82               | \$131 50                                     | \$328 32     |
| Barn, farm and garden.....                       | 584 77                 | 1,211 10                                     | 1,795 87     |
| Clothing .....                                   | 1,294 11               | .....  | 1,294 11     |
| Discounts .....                                  | .....                  | .....  | .....        |
| Drug and medical department.....                 | 204 66                 | .....  | 204 66       |
| Engines and boilers.....                         | 161 46                 | 3,999 51                                     | 4,160 97     |
| Ekopers .....                                    | 4 00                   | .....  | 4 00         |
| Freight and express (not classified) ..          | 6 10                   | .....  | 6 10         |
| Fire apparatus .....                             | .....                  | .....  | .....        |
| Fuel .....                                       | 1,487 24               | .....  | 1,487 24     |
| Furniture .....                                  | 228 34                 | 2,074 29                                     | 2,302 63     |
| Gas and other lights.....                        | 6 55                   | 3,900 00                                     | 3,906 55     |
| House furnishing.....                            | 1,641 20               | 6,262 71                                     | 7,903 91     |
| Laundry .....                                    | 223 96                 | 2,050 00                                     | 2,273 96     |
| Machinery and tools.....                         | 4 70                   | 97 31  | 102 01       |
| Miscellaneous .....                              | 833 19                 | .....  | 833 19       |
| Officers expenses: .....                         | 375 67                 | .....  | 375 67       |
| Printing, postage, stationery and telegraph..... | 312 45                 | 272 56                                       | 585 01       |
| Real estate.....                                 | .....                  | 39,351 36                                    | 39,351 36    |
| Repairs and renewals.....                        | 293 12                 | 14 23  | 307 35       |
| Special attendance .....                         | .....                  | .....  | .....        |
| Subsistence .....                                | 3,080 14               | 276 11                                       | 3,356 12     |
| Surgical instruments and appliances.....         | 17 75                  | .....  | 17 07        |
| Wages and salaries .....                         | 10,244 30              | .....  | 10,244 53    |
| Buildings and improvements.....                  | .....                  | 130,531 21                                   | 130,531 52   |
| Totals.....                                      | \$21,200 53            | \$190,171 89                                 | \$211,372 42 |
| Discounts .....                                  | 60 89                  | .....  | .....        |
|  | \$21,139 64            |  | 196,903 78   |
| Net expenses.....                                |                        |  | 14,468 64    |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by Secretary of State



*Statistical Tables.*

## CURRENT EXPENSES

*the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1897.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1897.                | Cash receiv-<br>ed on this<br>account dur-<br>ing the year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>account dur-<br>ing the year. | Total.       | Gained.    | Expended.   |
|--|---|---|--------------|------------|-------------|
| \$199 05   |   |   | \$199 05     |            | \$129 27    |
| 3,272 26   | \$2 25  | \$276 11  | 3,550 62     | \$1,754 75 | 328 25      |
| 965 86   |   | 60 89   | 965 86       | 60 89      | 35 33       |
| 169 33   |   |   | 60 89        |            | 74 42       |
| 4,086 55   |   |   | 169 33       |            | 4 00        |
|  |   |   | 4,086 55     |            | 6 10        |
|  |   |   |              |            |             |
| 780 00   |   |   | 780 00       |            | 707 24      |
| 2,198 81   | 15 00   |   | 2,213 81     |            | 88 82       |
| 3,901 00   |   |   | 3,901 00     |            | 5 55        |
| 7,058 42   | 10 07   |   | 7,068 49     |            | 835 42      |
| 2,245 47   |   |   | 2,245 47     |            | 28 49       |
| 68 55  |   |   | 68 55        |            | 33 46       |
| 149 45   |   |   | 149 45       |            | 683 74      |
|  |   |   |              |            | 375 67      |
|  |   |   |              |            |             |
| 204 15   |   |   | 204 15       |            | 380 86      |
| 39,351 36  |   |   | 39,351 36    |            |             |
| 86 82  |   |   | 86 82        |            | 220 53      |
|  |   |   |              |            |             |
| 1,228 72   | 3 70  |   | 1,232 42     |            | 2,123 83    |
| 17 75  |   |   | 17 75        |            |             |
|  | 21 00   |   | 21 00        |            | 10,223 30   |
| 130,531 21   |   |   | 130,531 21   |            |             |
|  |   |   |              |            |             |
| \$196,514 76                                       | \$52 02   | \$337 00  | \$196,903 78 | \$1,815 64 | \$16,284 28 |
|  |   |   |              |            | 1,815 64    |
|  |   |   |              |            | \$14,468 64 |
|  |   |   |              |            |             |
| for salaries and expenses of Board of Control..... |   |   |              |            | \$1,009 33  |
|  |   |   |              |            | \$15,477 97 |

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STATEMENT OF  
At the Wisconsin Home for Feeble-Minded

| Classified Items.   | Inventory<br>September<br>30th, 1897. | Purchased<br>during the<br>year. | Trans-<br>ferred to<br>this acc't<br>during<br>the year. | Total.       |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Amusement and means<br>of instruction.....                            | \$199 05                              | \$937 55                         | .....  | \$1,136 60   |
| Barn, farm and garden.  | 3,272 26                              | 3,389 81                         | .....  | 6,662 07     |
| Clothing.....   | 965 86                                | 4,144 14                         | .....  | 5,110 00     |
| Discounts .....   |                                       |                                  | .....  |              |
| Drug and medical dept.  | 169 33                                | 429 91                           | .....  | 599 24       |
| Engines and boilers....   | 4,086 55                              | 715 64                           | .....  | 4,802 19     |
| Elopers.....  |                                       | 68 58                            | .....  | 68 58        |
| Freight and express....   |                                       | 21 75                            | .....  | 21 75        |
| Fire apparatus.....   |                                       |                                  | .....  |              |
| Fuel.....   | 780 00                                | 7,717 42                         | .....  | 8,497 42     |
| Furniture .....   | 2,198 81                              | 1,319 20                         | .....  | 3,518 01     |
| Gas and other lights....  | 3,901 00                              | 3,518 03                         | .....  | 7,419 03     |
| House furnishings .....   | 7,058 42                              | 6,011 27                         | .....  | 13,069 69    |
| Laundry.....  | 2,245 47                              | 482 59                           | .....  | 2,728 06     |
| Library.....  |                                       | 51 95                            | .....  | 51 95        |
| Machinery and tools ...   | 68 55                                 | 41 40                            | .....  | 109 95       |
| Miscellaneous.....  | 149 45                                | 531 89                           | .....  | 681 34       |
| Officers' expenses .....  |                                       | 196 05                           | .....  | 196 05       |
| Printing, postage, sta-<br>tionery, telegraph....                     | 204 15                                | 534 50                           | .....  | 738 65       |
| Real estate .....   | 39,351 36                             |                                  | .....  | 39,351 36    |
| Repairs and renewals..  | 86 82                                 | 2,036 79                         | .....  | 2,123 61     |
| Subsistence.....  | 1,228 72                              | 10,290 45                        | \$989 34   | 12,508 51    |
| Surgical instrum'ts and<br>appliances .....                           | 17 75                                 | 54 25                            | .....  | 72 00        |
| Wages and salaries .....  |                                       | 22,657 43                        | .....  | 22,657 43    |
| Buildings and improve-<br>ments .....                                 | 130,531 21                            |                                  | 69,984 62  | 200,515 83   |
| Fire and boiler insur'ce.   |                                       | 840 00                           | .....  | 840 00       |
| Totals .....  | \$196,514 76                          | \$65,990 60                      | \$70,973 96  | \$333,479 32 |
| Discounts .....   |                                       | 167 53                           |  |              |
|   |                                       | \$65,823 07                      |  | 279,053 53   |
| Net expenses .....  |                                       |                                  |  | \$54,425 79  |
| Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by Secretary of |                                       |                                  |  |              |

*Statistical Tables.*

## CURRENT EXPENSES

*for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30th, 1898.               | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>account<br>during the<br>year. | Total.       | Gained.  | Expended.   |
|---|--|--|--------------|----------|-------------|
| \$735 00  |  |  | \$735 00     |          | \$401 60    |
| 3,931 34  | \$144 49   | \$989 34   | 5,065 17     |          | 1,596 90    |
| 1,876 01  | 19 11  |  | 1,895 12     |          | 3,214 88    |
|   |  | 165 68   | 165 68       | \$165 68 |             |
| 262 10  |  |  | 262 10       |          | 337 14      |
| 4,697 92  |  | 20   | 4,698 12     |          | 104 07      |
|   |  |  |              |          | 68 58       |
|   | 2 15   |  | 2 15         |          | 19 60       |
| 720 00  | 5 85   |  | 725 85       |          | 7,771 57    |
| 3,490 37  |  |  | 3,490 37     |          | 27 64       |
| 4,132 87  |  |  | 4,132 87     |          | 3,286 16    |
| 12,491 16   | 74 12  | 1 65   | 12,566 93    |          | 502 76      |
| 2,430 28  |  |  | 2,430 28     |          | 297 78      |
| 26 95   |  |  | 26 95        |          | 25 00       |
| 95 12   |  |  | 95 12        |          | 14 83       |
| 227 11  | 43 72  |  | 270 83       |          | 410 51      |
|   |  |  |              |          | 196 05      |
| 235 48  | 4 73   |  | 240 21       |          | 498 44      |
| 39,351 36   |  |  | 39,351 36    |          |             |
| 176 41  | 3 35   |  | 179 76       |          | 1,943 85    |
| 2,006 56  | 99 35  |  | 2,105 91     |          | 10,402 60   |
| 41 74   | 11 25  |  | 52 99        |          | 19 01       |
|   | 44 93  |  | 44 93        |          | 22,612 50   |
| 200,515 83  |  |  | 200,515 83   |          |             |
|   |  |  |              |          | 840 00      |
| \$277,443 61  | \$453 05   | \$1,156 87   | \$279,053 53 | \$165 68 | \$54,591 47 |
|   |  |  |              |          |             |
|   |  |  |              |          | 165 68      |
|   |  |  |              |          | \$54,425 79 |
| State for salaries and expenses of Board of Control |  |  |              |          | 1,270 00    |
|   |  |  |              |          | \$55,695 79 |

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## STATEMENT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FUND.

| Classified items.   | Balance<br>available<br>Oct. 1,<br>1896. | Appro-<br>priation<br>1897. | Contri-<br>bution<br>by city<br>of Chip-<br>pewa<br>Falls. | Trans-<br>fers from<br>current<br>expense<br>fund. | Expended<br>dur-<br>ing bi-<br>ennial<br>period. |
|---|--|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Building and improvement .....  | \$64,732 74                              | \$75,000 00                 | \$5,009 34   | \$15,502 87  | \$160,244 95                                     |
| Furniture and other outfits, building<br>and farm, and completing electric<br>light plant. .... | 15,000 00                                | .....                       | .....  | 1,272 22   | 16,272 22  |
| Totals .....  | \$79,732 74                              | \$75,000 00                 | \$5,009 34   | \$16,775 09  | \$176,517 17                                     |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATEMENT OF MONEYS RECEIVED AT THE INSTITUTION.

| Classification.                                  | Year ending<br>Sept. 30,<br>1897. | Year ending<br>Sept. 30,<br>1898. |
|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Barn, farm and garden .....                      | \$2 25                            | \$144 49                          |
| Board and clothing patients .....                | 39 00                             | 187 16                            |
| Clothing .....                                   |                                   | 19 11                             |
| Engines and boilers .....                        |                                   | 20                                |
| Freight and express .....                        |                                   | 2 15                              |
| Fuel.... ..                                      |                                   | 5 85                              |
| Furniture.. ..                                   |                                   | 15 00                             |
| House furnishing .....                           | 10 07                             | 75 77                             |
| Miscellaneous.....                               | 35 00                             | 43 72                             |
| Printing, postage, stationery and telegraph..... |                                   | 4 73                              |
| Repairs and renewals.....                        |                                   | 3 35                              |
| Subsistence.....                                 | 3 70                              | 99 35                             |
| Surgical instruments and appliances .....        |                                   | 11 25                             |
| Wages and salaries....                           | 21 00                             | 44 93                             |
| Rent of land.....                                | 140 00                            | 70 00                             |
| Totals.....                                      | \$251 02                          | \$727 06                          |

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## REPORT OF FARM PRODUCTS.

| ARTICLES.             | FOR YEAR ENDING SEP-<br>TEMBER 30TH, 1898. |            |
|-----------------------|--|------------|
|                       | Quantity.                                  | Value.     |
| Beans, string .....   | 17 $\frac{7}{8}$ bu.                       | \$9 33     |
| Beets, cooking .....  | 24 bu.                                     | 5 00       |
| Beets, mangle .....   | 25 bu.                                     | 3 75       |
| Beet greens .....     | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                        | 1 87       |
| Cabbage .....         | 376 hds.                                   | 19 30      |
| Carrots .....         | 22 $\frac{5}{8}$ bu.                       | 4 75       |
| Corn, sweet .....     | 583 doz.                                   | 46 64      |
| Corn fodder .....     | 9 acres.                                   | 54 00      |
| Corn (ears) .....     | 375 bu.                                    | 93 75      |
| Cucumbers .....       | 30 $\frac{1}{8}$ doz.                      | 4 95       |
| Cucumbers .....       | 6 bu.                                      | 2 70       |
| Hay, wild .....       | 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons.                     | 75 00      |
| Hay, tame .....       | 48 tons.                                   | 240 00     |
| Lettuce .....         | 1,121 hds.                                 | 33 72      |
| Milk .....            | 31,465 qts.                                | 943 95     |
| Oats .....            | 1,400 bu.                                  | 252 00     |
| Onions .....          | 1,395 bun.                                 | 29 60      |
| Onions .....          | 11 bu.                                     | 4 50       |
| Peas .....            | 481 qts.                                   | 24 05      |
| Potatoes .....        | 4,281 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                    | 1,278 05   |
| Parsnips .....        | 8 bu.                                      | 2 40       |
| Pumpkins .....        | 415 No.                                    | 20 75      |
| Radishes .....        | 1,508 bun.                                 | 39 85      |
| Squash .....          | 67 No.                                     | 6 70       |
| Straw .....           | 25 tons.                                   | 25 00      |
| Tomatoes, ripe .....  | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu.                       | 5 12       |
| Tomatoes, green ..... | 18 bu.                                     | 8 10       |
| Turnips .....         | 216 $\frac{1}{8}$ bu.                      | 54 21      |
| Total .....           |  | \$3,289 04 |

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**FIRST REPORT**

**OF THE**

**Wisconsin State Reformatory**

**FOR THE**

**Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1898.**

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**OFFICERS.**

JAMES E. HEG..... GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT AND STEWARD.  
W. J. THOMAS..... ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.  
H. W. WALKER..... CLERK.  
MISS MAY C. RESCH..... STENOGRAPHER.



## GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

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*To the Honorable State Board of Control:*

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to present herewith the first report of the Wisconsin State Reformatory.

In answer to the unanimous call of your Board, I assumed the duties of the position of general superintendent on April 15, 1898. At that time the state owned the title to two hundred and two acres of land, lying midway between the cities of Green Bay and De Pere, and that was all. The plans for the Reformatory had not then been made, nor had a stroke of work been done upon the property. The instructions of the Board were to plan, construct and organize a reformatory within the limits of the appropriation of the legislature, and in the shortest time possible. It took a month for investigation, preliminary surveys and preparation, so that work was not begun until the first of June. Ninety days from that date the Reformatory was in operation, fully organized, and with twenty-four inmates. It is the first instance on record where a prison has been built, equipped, organized and filled in the space of three months' time. Of course, the present building is not the permanent prison. There was on the property the foundations for a factory, which had never been completed. These foundations, some three hundred by seventy feet, were located near the railway track, and the building which has been constructed thereon can be admirably adapted later on for use as the power house of the institution, having sufficient room for all boilers, engines, dynamos, pumps, etc., that will ever be needed, and it will still be large enough to furnish storage capacity for two thousand tons of coal.

On these foundations a building was constructed, which is now used as a temporary prison. It contains a cell room, with twenty-four large, roomy cells, a school room, dining room for in-

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mates, dining room for officers, a large kitchen, general office, and offices of superintendent and his assistants, a store, eight sleeping rooms for officers, a laundry, an ironing room, a large cabinet shop, a tailor shop, two toilet rooms, a bath room with ten shower baths, a boiler room with two large boilers, a pump, engine and dynamo room, besides a spacious lobby used as a drill hall. Between August 31 and September 10, twenty-four inmates were transferred from the prison at Waupun, and the Reformatory began its career. The cost of building and fully equipping this temporary prison was only \$11,800. All the equipment is of a permanent character, and will be utilized in the main building when it is completed.

The contract for a small portion of the permanent building was awarded to Hinckley & Powers, of Fond du Lac, on April 27, for \$29,880. This contract embraced only the building, not the iron work, the heating, plumbing, lighting and sewers. The J. G. Wagner Co., of Milwaukee, obtained the contract for the gratings and other iron work for \$7,730.00. The plumbing is being done by the day under the superintendence of W. H. Halsey, of Milwaukee. The heating contract was awarded to H. Mooers Co., of Milwaukee, for \$2,177; while the work of putting in the sewers and the electric light wires is being done by our own inmates, with some paid help.

The inmates have been engaged in clearing up the grounds, digging trenches for water, steam and sewer pipes, and have done much other work in and about the building. There is plenty of work here in the construction of the main building to occupy a large number of inmates for some years to come. I believe a good share of the construction of the institution can be done by them, thus saving the state considerable money.

The first inmates were received from the prison. They were nearly all short-term men, and a number of them had been inmates of other prisons and reformatories before coming to Waupun. The officers were new to the work; there were no gratings on the windows or bars on the outer doors. It is not

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wonderful then, that three of the prisoners soon escaped. One was shortly afterward captured, and we are certain in time to recover the others, a boy of seventeen years and one of nineteen. The lesson to the officers was worth more than the loss of the boys, since they learned that eternal vigilance is the only safeguard in a prison.

The site selected by your honorable Board lies on the Fox river, about two miles from the enterprising city of Green Bay, and the same distance from the beautiful city of De Pere. There is a fall of twenty-nine feet from the ground floor of the main building to the river, thus ensuring excellent drainage. An artesian well, which will be nine hundred feet deep when completed, will furnish an abundance of pure, cool water. The land is approximately one thousand feet wide by one and one-fourth miles in length, and, for market gardening purposes, the soil is not surpassed in the state. The eastern boundary is also a river, to which the land slopes gently for half a mile or more. This land has not yet been entirely cleared up, but I expect to clear enough this winter to raise all the potatoes and vegetables needed by the institution next year.

The plans for the Reformatory furnished by Mr. John Charles and Mr. A. C. Clas are, as the law requires, elaborate and complete in all details, showing the entire institution as it will be when finished. Having seen nearly every penal establishment in the country, I believe that no prison or reformatory in the United States can compare with it when completed, in the essentials of light, sanitation, security and convenience, yet the cost will not approximate that of similar institutions.

I confess that I doubted the expediency of the policy of the Board in transferring convicts from the state prison to this institution, for it is well known that even a short contact with hardened criminals is very demoralizing. Young men soon lose by such contact the feeling of humiliation which first offenders, unless degenerates, usually possess when convicted of crime. Habitual criminals, moreover, delight in teaching young offend-

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ers all the tricks known to convicts, whereby the officers of an institution may be caused trouble and annoyance. For these reasons, I was rather reluctant to take the men selected by the prison authorities as inmates. At first they did give us the trouble we expected, but as time passes, and they begin to understand that the rigid disciplinary rules adopted *must* be obeyed, I am gratified beyond measure to witness the change that is taking place in the behavior, the work, and even the appearance of these young men. It may be optimism, but I feel absolutely certain that at least seventy-five per cent. of the young men sent from the prison to this institution will become good, law-abiding citizens. Of the others, one is a kleptomaniac, and one is a degenerate, who will, in all probability, end his days in an insane asylum; two or three others are very bad boys, for whom I would have hope if their terms here—less than nine months—were not so short.

At the beginning of this work many perplexing problems arise. There are nearly as many theories advanced at the present day as to the cause of crime, as there are writers on the subject, and there is a still greater diversity of opinion among penologists as to the best methods to be employed for the reformation of criminals.

The physician and the criminal anthropologist declare that reformation can only be obtained through the development of the physical nature, and that a healthy mind can only exist in a healthy body.

The pedagogue maintains that only through the work of education and the promulgation of intelligence can we hope to lessen crime or bring about reformation in the criminal. The moralist holds that the chief and almost only motive in the reformation of the criminal is religion and morality, while there is a large class who believe that only through the door of manual training can the criminal hope to escape.

There is no question but that all these methods are beneficial, and each or all must be used as the exigencies of the case

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require. No two subjects are alike, and what is a specific in one case is utterly useless as a cure in another.

The whole work, however, of promoting a change in human dispositions may be regarded as long since reduced to a science, many of whose laws are now perfectly well known and clearly defined.

We know well, and must keep that fact in mind at all times, that the work of reforming men in prison, the same as out of prison, is the largest, the most difficult and the most costly work undertaken in the world. It pays, and pays immensely, because it saves the cost of court machinery in a large number of cases, than which there is nothing so expensive.

We must remember that we do not send men to prison because the prison is the best place to reform men. As a mere statement of fact, the prison is, relatively, not a desirable place in which to work reformation. We use the prison for reformatory purposes, not because it is the best place, but because it is the only place to do for some men under some circumstances what the home and society should have done before.

The inmates of a reformatory are the dangerous element of the communities from which the individuals came; they have reached that degree of criminality from which those communities have demanded protection. The state commits these men to the Reformatory, not as an act of leniency, but for discipline, correction and reformation. But it should be clearly borne in mind by the people, as well as the prison authorities, that the element of punishment is not thereby eliminated, nor should it be.

The work of building the reformatory, formulating its policies and perfecting its organization presents to your Board a problem that is large and dark, but little problems belong to little lives. Wisconsin has begun to learn that the old motto, "Once a criminal, always a criminal," is blasphemy against God and man, and that the query of, "Am I my brother's keeper?" is as pertinent today as it was two thousand years ago. Working

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on that altruistic principle of ethics, mistakes may be made, but they will not be serious errors.

It is not my province to suggest what the legislature should do in the matter of appropriation for further construction, but I may be permitted to express a hope that a sufficient amount may be appropriated to complete the cell-wing (one-third of which is now under construction), and also the central or administration part. This will enable us to care for three hundred inmates, and these can do much of the work of building the walls, shops and other buildings, and, if thought desirable, can even make the brick for the same.

A word as to the labor of the inmates of this institution. It will be necessary to adopt some sort of shop work, because the climate will not permit outdoor work a considerable portion of the year. No reformation can be accomplished where the prisoners are kept in idleness. A prisoner should be, as far as practicable trained so that he will be as closely as possible adapted to free life when he is released. Otherwise he is almost certain to drift into idle and vicious ways in short order.

My plan is to require five hours' of some productive work for the state, three hours of technical training in some industry, whereby the prisoner may acquire a trade; one hour of military drill and "setting-up" exercises; one and one-half hours' of school, wherein at least the rudiments of education may be obtained. Just what productive work may be finally adopted will depend somewhat upon the action of the legislature concerning prison labor. So long as the agitation continues against prison labor and products by unreasoning and unreasonable people, it would be unwise to invest any large amount of money in machinery and shops.

Prisoners must work. Whatever they do, from baking the bread they eat or raising vegetables in the garden, the manufacture of goods of any sort, interferes in some degree with free labor. The *amount* of prison products put on the market in the entire country cuts no appreciable figure. The trouble arises

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from the *way* in which such product is put on the market. While it is true that some prison products in other states have been put on the market at prices ruinous to competition by free labor, this is not true of the very large proportion of all prison goods. It must be remembered, also, that free manufacturers often cut prices, secretly and otherwise, and that one such manufacturer injures free labor and free manufactures as much as the prison contractor who does the same thing.

It is believed by some that the prison labor question can readily be solved. If the state will declare a monopoly on some particular product not generally manufactured, give due notice of its intention to do so, that manufacturers of such article may have opportunity to protect themselves, there would be no competition to free labor on that article, while the state would enable its prisons to become as nearly self-sustaining as such institutions are possible to become. Of course, it would be necessary to have trade instruction in such prisons, or the convict would be unable to obtain work when he left the prison walls. The suggested plan seems to have in it greater merit than the New York system of manufacturing all sorts of goods and selling the same under compulsion to state institutions and civil divisions of the state, which is monopoly, also, in another form.

In closing this report, I beg to acknowledge the many courtesies and valuable advice extended to me by your honorable Board, and the deep interest manifested in the affairs of the institution as an official body.

To the employes of the Reformatory, and especially to the assistant superintendent, W. J. Thomas, I am deeply indebted for loyal service, and I take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks for the assistance and co-operation I have received during the many perplexing hours of the organization.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES E. HEG,

*General Superintendent.*

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*Wisconsin State Reformatory.*


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## STATEMENT OF

*At the Wisconsin State Reformatory for*

| Classified Items.                            | Purchased<br>during<br>year. | Transferred<br>to this ac-<br>count<br>during<br>year. | Total.      |
|--|------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Armory .....                                 | \$2 50                       | \$250 23   | \$252 73    |
| Barn, farm and garden .....                  | 163 77                       |  | 163 77      |
| Convicts escaped .....                       | 85                           |  | 85          |
| Clothing .....                               | 291 68                       |  | 291 68      |
| Discount .....                               |                              |  |             |
| Drug and medical department .....            | 13 16                        |  | 13 16       |
| Engines and boilers .....                    | 17 41                        |  | 17 41       |
| Freight and express .....                    | 1 10                         |  | 1 10        |
| Fuel .....                                   | 9 38                         |  | 9 38        |
| Furniture .....                              | 313 45                       |  | 313 45      |
| Gas and other lights .....                   | 213 08                       |  | 213 08      |
| House furnishing .....                       | 2,278 36                     |  | 2,278 36    |
| Laundry .....                                | 21 62                        |  | 21 62       |
| Machinery and tools .....                    | 47 65                        |  | 47 65       |
| Miscellaneous .....                          | 142 56                       |  | 142 56      |
| Means of instruction .....                   | 263 04                       |  | 263 04      |
| Officers' expenses .....                     | 95 75                        |  | 95 75       |
| Printing, postage, stationery and tel. ..... | 137 93                       |  | 137 93      |
| Repairs and renewals .....                   | 1,730 85                     |  | 1,730 85    |
| Subsistence .....                            | 331 64                       |  | 331 64      |
| Wages and salaries .....                     | 1,538 27                     |  | 1,538 27    |
| Real estate .....                            |                              | 15,000 00  | 15,000 00   |
| Buildings and improvements .....             |                              | 2,381 15   | 2,381 15    |
| Totals .....                                 | \$7,614 05                   | \$17,631 38  | \$25,245 43 |
| Discounts .....                              | 15 98                        |  | 21,192 04   |
| Net expenses .....                           | \$7,598 07                   |  | \$4,053 39  |

Add amount assigned to this institution and set apart by Secretary of



*Statistical Tables.*

## CURRENT EXPENSES

*the fiscal year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Inventory<br>September<br>30, 1898.                    | Cash re-<br>ceived on<br>this account<br>during the<br>year. | Transferred<br>from this<br>account<br>during<br>the year. | Total.      | Gained. | Expended.  |
|--|--|--|-------------|---------|------------|
| \$236 71   | \$12 75  |  | \$249 46    |         | \$3 27     |
| 140 00   |  |  | 140 00      |         | 23 77      |
|  |  |  |             |         | 85         |
| 280 00   |  |  | 280 00      |         | 11 68      |
|  |  | \$15 98  | 15 98       | \$15 98 |            |
|  |  |  |             |         | 13 16      |
|  |  |  |             |         | 17 41      |
|  |  |  |             |         | 1 10       |
|  |  |  |             |         | 9 38       |
| 310 00   |  |  | 310 00      |         | 3 45       |
| 197 97   |  |  | 197 97      |         | 15 11      |
| 1,958 92   |  | 250 23   | 2,209 15    |         | 69 21      |
| 20 00  |  |  | 20 00       |         | 1 62       |
| 46 40  |  |  | 46 40       |         | 1 25       |
|  |  |  |             |         | 142 56     |
| 130 00   |  |  | 130 00      |         | 133 04     |
|  |  |  |             |         | 95 75      |
| 127 00   |  |  | 127 00      |         | 10 93      |
|  |  |  |             |         | 1,730 85   |
| 84 93  |  |  | 84 93       |         | 246 71     |
|  |  |  |             |         | 1,538 27   |
| 15,000 00  |  |  | 15,000 00   |         |            |
| 2,381 15   |  |  | 2,381 15    |         |            |
| \$20,913 08  | \$12 75  | \$266 21   | \$21,192 04 | \$15 98 | \$4,069 37 |
|  |  |  |             |         | 15 98      |
|  |  |  |             |         | \$1,053 39 |
| State for salary and expenses of Board of Control..... |  |  |             |         | 535 00     |
|  |  |  |             |         | \$4,588 39 |



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## **Statistics.**

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County Asylums, Poor Houses, Jails, Etc.

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*Statistical Tables.*

## OFFICERS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR CHRONIC INSANE.

| Counties.         | Postoffice of Asylum. | Superintendent.         | Visiting physician.                 | Trustees.              | Postoffice of trustees. |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Brown .....       | Green Bay .....       | Fred M. Laftus .....    | Henry Rhode, Green Bay .....        | Pat. Ryan .....        | West Green Bay.         |
| Chippewa .....    | Chippewa Falls. ....  | R. P. Dickinson .....   | P. H. Findley, Chippewa Falls. .... | J. J. Rasmussen .....  | De Pere.                |
| Columbia .....    | Wyocona .....         | B. Miller .....         | Joseph Chandler, Pardeeville .....  | J. B. Heyrman .....    | Boyd.                   |
| Dane .....        | Verona .....          | L. P. Edwin .....       | C. K. Jayne, Verona .....           | Robert Patten .....    | Chippewa Falls.         |
| Dodge .....       | Juneau .....          | Solomon Rudolf .....    | W. E. Hallock, Juneau .....         | Geo. Hartman .....     | Chippewa Falls.         |
| Dunn .....        | Menomonie .....       | S. W. Jackson .....     | H. M. Read, Menomonie .....         | Adam Bogue .....       | Arlington.              |
| Fond du Lac ..... | Fond du Lac .....     | Louis Mandeuchild ..... | S. S. Bowers, Fond du Lac .....     | John A. Quammen .....  | Portage.                |
| Grant .....       | Lancaster .....       | James Alderson .....    | F. M. Cronin, Lancaster .....       | John Graham .....      | Columbus.               |
| Green .....       | Monroe .....          | R. C. Whitecomb .....   | F. M. Confer, Monroe .....          | J. A. Erhart .....     | Deerfield.              |
| Iowa .....        | Dodgeville .....      | E. J. Perkins .....     | W. J. Pearce, Dodgeville .....      | J. O'Connell .....     | Madison.                |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | J. S. Meyers .....     | Verona.                 |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | John Herberg .....     | Mayville.               |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Fred Engel .....       | Horicon.                |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Solomon Rudolf .....   | Juneau.                 |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | J. H. Stout .....      | Menomonie.              |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | W. H. Smith .....      | Eau Claire.             |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | A. R. Hall .....       | Knapp.                  |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | F. A. Bartlett .....   | Fond du Lac.            |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | E. P. Hall .....       | Lamartine.              |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Michael Thelen .....   | Ashford.                |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Herman Grimm .....     | Cassville.              |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | John McArthur .....    | Platteville.            |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Geo. Brown .....       | Woodman.                |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | J. C. Zimmerman .....  | New Glarus.             |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Wm. Smith .....        | Brodhead.               |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | J. C. Baker .....      | Monroe.                 |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Samuel Sydnehart ..... | Avoca.                  |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Ole Steensland .....   | Perry.                  |
|                   |                       |                         |                                     | Josephus Bailey .....  | Cobb.                   |

*Statistical Tables.*

|                 |                   |                      |                                  |                        |                  |
|-----------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| Jefferson.....  | Jefferson.....    | W. E. Voigt.....     | W. W. Reed, Jefferson.....       | P. C. Quintmeyer.....  | Watertown.       |
| La Crosse ..... | West Salem.....   | C. S. McKown.....    | S. R. Wakefield, La Crosse ..... | John Reinel.....       | Jefferson.       |
| Manitowoc.....  | Manitowoc.....    | H. Goedjen.....      | F. S. Luhmann, Manitowoc.....    | E. Rankin.....         | Fort Atkinson.   |
| Marathon .....  | Wausau.....       | H. C. Head.....      | H. L. Rosenberry, Wausau .....   | A. C. Hanson.....      | West Salem.      |
| Milwaukee ..... | Wauwatosa .....   | W. F. Buetler .....  | W. F. Buetler, Wauwatosa .....   | W. W. Taylor.....      | Mindora.         |
| Outagamie ..... | Appleton.....     | G. R. Downer.....    | J. V. Cunavan, Appleton .....    | Wm. Fenn.....          | La Crosse.       |
| Racine .....    | Racine .....      | A. Harden .....      | J. R. Sims, Racine .....         | Joseph Chesak.....     | Manitowoc.       |
| Richland .....  | Richland Center.. | L. T. Johnson .....  | B. H. Delap .....                | J. H. Reiser.....      | Two Rivers.      |
| Rock .....      | Janesville.....   | Peter Aller.....     | J. Frank Pember, Janesville..... | G. G. Knoller.....     | Poniatowski.     |
| St. Croix ..... | New Richmond..    | T. D. Wheeler.....   | F. S. Wade, New Richmond .....   | Chas. Kropp.....       | Wausau.          |
| Sauk .....      | Reedsburg .....   | William Andras ..... | Carl Kordenah, Reedsburg.....    | Richard Seidel.....    | Dancy.           |
| Sheboygan ..... | Sheboygan.....    | A. J. Whiffin .....  | H. Reineking, Sheboygan.....     | M. J. Haisler.....     | Milwaukee.       |
| Vernon .....    | Viroqua .....     | F. Wilkins.....      | F. E. Morley, Viroqua .....      | H. S. Bracken.....     | Milwaukee.       |
| Walworth .....  | Elkhorn.....      | J. P. Davis.....     | W. H. Hurlbut, Elkhorn.....      | Jacob Truss.....       | Milwaukee.       |
| Winnebago ..... | Winnebago .....   | A. C. Austin.....    | M. E. Barnett, Oshkosh .....     | B. Miller.....         | New London.      |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | Chas. Clack.....       | Apple Creek.     |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | John Pingel.....       | Appleton.        |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | L. C. Klein.....       | Racine.          |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | James H. Crane.....    | Burlington.      |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | A. P. Coombs.....      | Lone Rock.       |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | W. W. Ellsworth.....   | Richland Center. |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | H. B. Allen.....       | Richland Center. |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | J. E. Coffland.....    | Beloit.          |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | S. T. Merrill.....     | Indian Ford.     |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | C. E. Langworthy ..... | Milton.          |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | K. Killam.....         | New Richmond.    |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | O. W. Mosher.....      | Hudson.          |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | D. C. Fulton.....      | New Richmond.    |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | O. J. Williams .....   | Baraboo.         |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | Charles Coleman.....   | Sauk City.       |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | Samuel Kleiner.....    | Reedsburg.       |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | William Riggett.....   | Sheboygan.       |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | Henry Wolvoord.....    |                  |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | Albert Swartz.....     | Waldo.           |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | Eugene McIntyre.....   | Hillsboro.       |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | E. V. Wernick.....     | Viroqua.         |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | C. M. Butt.....        | Westby.          |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | C. J. Skough.....      | Elkhorn.         |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | Chas. Dunlap.....      | Elkhorn.         |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | John P. Davis.....     | Whitewater.      |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | J. H. Cushing.....     | Menasha.         |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | E. I. Mathewson.....   | Oshkosh.         |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | F. D. Brooks.....      | Omro.            |
|                 |                   |                      |                                  | J. T. Orchard.....     |                  |

*Statistical Tables.*

## CENSUS OF INSANE UNDER PUBLIC CARE SEPT. 30, 1897.

| Counties.         | In<br>state<br>hospit-<br>al. | In<br>north-<br>ern<br>hospit-<br>al. | In Mil-<br>waukee<br>hospit-<br>al. | In<br>county<br>asylums<br>for<br>chronic<br>insane. | In<br>poor<br>houses. | In<br>jails. | To-<br>tal. | Popu-<br>lation in<br>1896. | Ratio of<br>insanity<br>to popu-<br>lation. |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Adams .....       | 2                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 6  | 1                     | .....        | 9           | 7,532                       | 836   |
| Ashland .....     | 2                             | 9                                     | .....                               | 21   | .....                 | .....        | 32          | 17,241                      | 538   |
| Barron .....      | 7                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 22   | 1                     | 1            | 31          | 20,122                      | 649   |
| Bayfield .....    | .....                         | 7                                     | .....                               | 8  | .....                 | .....        | 15          | 12,566                      | 839   |
| Brown .....       | .....                         | 16                                    | .....                               | 84   | .....                 | .....        | 100         | 45,623                      | 456   |
| Buffalo .....     | 11                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 20   | .....                 | 1            | 32          | 16,931                      | 529   |
| Burnett .....     | 5                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 14   | .....                 | .....        | 19          | 5,892                       | 310   |
| Calumet .....     | .....                         | 7                                     | .....                               | 23   | .....                 | .....        | 30          | 17,744                      | 591   |
| Chippewa .....    | 12                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 51   | .....                 | .....        | 63          | 28,727                      | 455   |
| Clark .....       | 10                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 19   | 1                     | .....        | 30          | 21,342                      | 711   |
| Columbia .....    | 10                            | 2                                     | .....                               | 68   | .....                 | .....        | 80          | 30,868                      | 385   |
| Crawford .....    | 9                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 32   | .....                 | .....        | 40          | 17,203                      | 430   |
| Dane .....        | 29                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 149  | .....                 | .....        | 178         | 65,669                      | 368   |
| Dodge .....       | .....                         | 21                                    | .....                               | 82   | .....                 | .....        | 103         | 47,851                      | 464   |
| Door .....        | .....                         | 8                                     | .....                               | 18   | .....                 | .....        | 26          | 16,969                      | 632   |
| Douglas .....     | 21                            | 4                                     | .....                               | 28   | .....                 | .....        | 53          | 29,986                      | 565   |
| Dunn .....        | 11                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 47   | .....                 | .....        | 58          | 25,006                      | 431   |
| Eau Claire .....  | 16                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 50   | .....                 | .....        | 66          | 38,172                      | 502   |
| Florence .....    | .....                         | .....                                 | .....                               | 4  | .....                 | .....        | 4           | 2,850                       | 712   |
| Fond du Lac ..... | .....                         | 20                                    | .....                               | 97   | .....                 | .....        | 117         | 47,436                      | 405   |
| Forest .....      | .....                         | 2                                     | .....                               | .....  | .....                 | .....        | 2           | 1,238                       | 644   |
| Grant .....       | 14                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 80   | 1                     | .....        | 95          | 38,372                      | 403   |
| Green .....       | 9                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 65   | .....                 | .....        | 74          | 23,420                      | 316   |
| Green Lake .....  | .....                         | 12                                    | .....                               | 20   | .....                 | .....        | 32          | 15,939                      | 498   |
| Iowa .....        | 6                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 54   | .....                 | .....        | 60          | 23,447                      | 390   |
| Iron .....        | .....                         | 9                                     | .....                               | 8  | .....                 | .....        | 17          | 5,338                       | 314   |
| Jackson .....     | 6                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 23   | .....                 | .....        | 29          | 16,722                      | 611   |
| Jefferson .....   | .....                         | 19                                    | .....                               | 80   | 1                     | .....        | 110         | 36,817                      | 330   |
| Juneau .....      | 17                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 40   | .....                 | 2            | 59          | 18,754                      | 317   |
| Kenosha .....     | .....                         | 12                                    | .....                               | 25   | .....                 | .....        | 37          | 17,548                      | 501   |
| Kewaunee .....    | .....                         | 9                                     | .....                               | 18   | .....                 | .....        | 21          | 14,682                      | 653   |
| La Crosse .....   | 22                            | 1                                     | .....                               | 73   | .....                 | 1            | 97          | 43,610                      | 449   |
| Lafayette .....   | 8                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 40   | 2                     | .....        | 50          | 21,488                      | 529   |
| Langlade .....    | .....                         | 3                                     | .....                               | 5  | .....                 | .....        | 8           | 11,092                      | 1,396                                       |
| Lincoln .....     | .....                         | 8                                     | .....                               | 16   | .....                 | .....        | 24          | 14,765                      | 615   |
| Manitowoc .....   | .....                         | 22                                    | .....                               | 44   | .....                 | .....        | 66          | 40,602                      | 618   |
| Marathon .....    | .....                         | 12                                    | .....                               | 37   | .....                 | .....        | 49          | 36,598                      | 746   |
| Marquette .....   | .....                         | 16                                    | .....                               | 28   | .....                 | .....        | 44          | 27,271                      | 619   |
| Marquette .....   | 1                             | 3                                     | .....                               | 19   | .....                 | .....        | 23          | 10,208                      | 443   |
| Milwaukee .....   | .....                         | 1                                     | 363                                 | 160  | .....                 | .....        | 514         | 287,922                     | 564   |
| Monroe .....      | 12                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 26   | 3                     | .....        | 41          | 26,359                      | 642   |
| Oconto .....      | .....                         | 16                                    | .....                               | 39   | .....                 | .....        | 55          | 18,339                      | 333   |
| Oneida .....      | .....                         | 4                                     | .....                               | 6  | .....                 | .....        | 10          | 7,080                       | 706   |
| Outagamie .....   | .....                         | 30                                    | .....                               | 64   | .....                 | 3            | 97          | 44,404                      | 457   |
| Ozaukee .....     | .....                         | 3                                     | .....                               | 31   | .....                 | .....        | 34          | 16,545                      | 486   |
| Pepin .....       | 2                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 13   | .....                 | .....        | 15          | 7,567                       | 504   |
| Pierce .....      | 10                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 24   | .....                 | .....        | 34          | 23,040                      | 677   |
| Polk .....        | 10                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 23   | .....                 | .....        | 33          | 16,117                      | 488   |
| Portage .....     | .....                         | 26                                    | .....                               | 33   | .....                 | .....        | 59          | 28,531                      | 483   |
| Price .....       | .....                         | 3                                     | .....                               | 9  | .....                 | .....        | 12          | 7,257                       | 604   |
| Racine .....      | .....                         | 26                                    | .....                               | 82   | .....                 | .....        | 108         | 41,110                      | 382   |
| Richland .....    | 9                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 31   | .....                 | .....        | 40          | 19,619                      | 491   |
| Rock .....        | 13                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 108  | .....                 | .....        | 121         | 48,414                      | 400   |
| St. Croix .....   | 12                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 48   | 1                     | .....        | 61          | 25,870                      | 424   |
| Sauk .....        | 18                            | .....                                 | .....                               | 56   | 2                     | .....        | 76          | 32,919                      | 433   |
| Sawyer .....      | 2                             | .....                                 | .....                               | 6  | .....                 | .....        | 8           | 3,741                       | 467   |
| Shawano .....     | .....                         | 7                                     | .....                               | 15   | .....                 | .....        | 22          | 22,573                      | 1,026                                       |
| Sheboygan .....   | .....                         | 15                                    | .....                               | 90   | .....                 | .....        | 105         | 48,396                      | 460   |

*Statistical Tables.*

## CENSUS OF INSANE UNDER PUBLIC CARE SEPT. 30, 1897.— Con.

| Counties.         | In state hospital. | In northern hospital. | In Milwaukee hospital. | In county asylums for chronic insane. | In poor houses. | In jails. | Total. | Population in 1895. | Ratio of insanity to population. |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|--------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| Taylor .....      |                    | 3                     |                        | 12                                    |                 |           | 15     | 8,498               | 599                              |
| Trempealeau ..... | 10                 |                       |                        | 33                                    |                 |           | 43     | 21,963              | 510                              |
| Vernon .....      | 13                 |                       |                        | 50                                    | 4               |           | 67     | 27,035              | 403                              |
| Vilas .....       |                    | 2                     |                        | 1                                     |                 |           | 3      | 3,801               | 1,267                            |
| Walworth ..       | 12                 |                       |                        | 73                                    |                 |           | 85     | 29,162              | 343                              |
| Washburn ..       | 3                  |                       |                        | 2                                     |                 |           | 5      | 4,266               | 853                              |
| Washington .....  |                    | 13                    |                        | 31                                    | 4               |           | 48     | 24,077              | 501                              |
| Waukesha ..       |                    | 30                    |                        | 54                                    | 5               |           | 89     | 36,562              | 410                              |
| Waupaca ..        |                    | 18                    |                        | 41                                    |                 |           | 59     | 30,793              | 521                              |
| Waushara ..       |                    | 5                     |                        | 13                                    |                 |           | 18     | 15,355              | 863                              |
| Winnebago ..      |                    | 35                    |                        | 107                                   |                 |           | 142    | 57,627              | 405                              |
| Wood .....        | 1                  | 8                     |                        | 19                                    | 1               |           | 29     | 21,637              | 746                              |
| State at l'rge    | 24                 | 46                    |                        | 185                                   |                 |           | 255    |                     |                                  |
| Total.....        | 378                | 513                   | 363                    | 3,003                                 | 27              | 8         | 4,292  | 1,937,915           | 451                              |

*Statistical Tables.*

## CENSUS OF INSANE UNDER PUBLIC CARE SEPT. 30, 1898.

| Counties.         | In state hospital. | In northern hospital. | In Milwaukee hospital. | In co'ty asylums for chronic insane. | In poor houses. | In jails. | Totals. | Population in 1895. | Ratio of insanity to population. |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| Adams .....       | 3                  |                       |                        | 6                                    |                 |           | 9       | 7,532               | 836                              |
| Ashland .....     |                    | 14                    |                        | 22                                   |                 |           | 36      | 17,241              | 479                              |
| Barron .....      | 7                  |                       |                        | 27                                   | 2               |           | 36      | 20,122              | 558                              |
| Bayfield .....    |                    | 12                    |                        | 9                                    |                 |           | 21      | 12,595              | 599                              |
| Brown .....       |                    | 27                    |                        | 84                                   |                 |           | 111     | 45,623              | 411                              |
| Buffalo .....     | 6                  |                       |                        | 23                                   |                 |           | 29      | 16,931              | 583                              |
| Burnett .....     | 1                  |                       |                        | 17                                   |                 |           | 18      | 5,892               | 326                              |
| Calumet .....     |                    | 8                     |                        | 22                                   |                 |           | 30      | 17,744              | 591                              |
| Chippewa .....    | 11                 |                       |                        | 54                                   |                 |           | 65      | 28,727              | 742                              |
| Clark .....       | 4                  |                       |                        | 23                                   |                 |           | 27      | 21,842              | 790                              |
| Columbia .....    | 8                  |                       |                        | 75                                   |                 |           | 83      | 30,863              | 371                              |
| Crawford .....    | 6                  |                       |                        | 35                                   |                 |           | 41      | 17,208              | 468                              |
| Dane .....        | 29                 |                       |                        | 164                                  |                 |           | 193     | 65,669              | 340                              |
| Dodge .....       |                    | 24                    |                        | 79                                   |                 |           | 103     | 47,851              | 464                              |
| Door .....        |                    | 12                    |                        | 15                                   |                 |           | 27      | 16,969              | 628                              |
| Douglas .....     | 22                 | 1                     |                        | 41                                   |                 |           | 64      | 29,986              | 468                              |
| Dunn .....        | 6                  |                       |                        | 49                                   |                 |           | 55      | 25,006              | 454                              |
| Eau Claire .....  | 12                 |                       |                        | 59                                   |                 |           | 71      | 33,172              | 467                              |
| Florence .....    |                    | 1                     |                        | 2                                    |                 |           | 3       | 2,350               | 950                              |
| Fond du Lac ..... |                    | 39                    |                        | 97                                   |                 |           | 136     | 47,436              | 348                              |
| Forest .....      |                    | 2                     |                        | 3                                    |                 |           | 5       | 1,288               | 257                              |
| Grant .....       | 14                 |                       |                        | 93                                   | 1               |           | 108     | 38,372              | 355                              |
| Green .....       | 6                  |                       |                        | 64                                   |                 |           | 70      | 23,420              | 334                              |
| Green Lake .....  |                    | 13                    |                        | 23                                   |                 |           | 36      | 15,939              | 442                              |
| Iowa .....        | 6                  |                       |                        | 57                                   |                 |           | 63      | 23,447              | 372                              |
| Iron .....        |                    | 8                     |                        | 9                                    |                 |           | 17      | 5,338               | 314                              |
| Jackson .....     | 7                  |                       |                        | 26                                   |                 |           | 33      | 16,722              | 506                              |
| Jefferson .....   |                    | 14                    |                        | 91                                   | 2               |           | 107     | 38,317              | 339                              |
| Juneau .....      | 14                 |                       |                        | 47                                   |                 |           | 61      | 18,754              | 307                              |
| Kenosha .....     |                    | 15                    |                        | 28                                   |                 |           | 43      | 17,548              | 408                              |
| Kewaunee .....    |                    | 9                     |                        | 18                                   |                 |           | 27      | 17,632              | 653                              |
| La Crosse .....   | 21                 | 1                     |                        | 89                                   |                 |           | 111     | 43,610              | 392                              |
| Lafayette .....   | 7                  |                       |                        | 39                                   |                 |           | 47      | 21,488              | 457                              |
| Langlade .....    |                    | 10                    |                        | 5                                    |                 |           | 15      | 11,092              | 780                              |
| Lincoln .....     |                    | 13                    |                        | 16                                   |                 |           | 29      | 14,765              | 509                              |
| Manitowoc .....   |                    | 31                    |                        | 46                                   |                 |           | 77      | 40,802              | 529                              |
| Marathon .....    |                    | 14                    |                        | 40                                   |                 |           | 54      | 36,598              | 677                              |
| Marinette .....   |                    | 11                    |                        | 25                                   |                 |           | 36      | 27,271              | 757                              |
| Marquette .....   |                    | 4                     |                        | 22                                   |                 |           | 26      | 10,203              | 392                              |
| Milwaukee .....   |                    | 2                     | 406                    | 153                                  |                 |           | 561     | 287,922             | 513                              |
| Monroe .....      | 8                  |                       |                        | 31                                   |                 |           | 39      | 26,350              | 675                              |
| Oconto .....      |                    | 12                    |                        | 41                                   |                 |           | 53      | 18,339              | 346                              |
| Oneida .....      |                    | 6                     |                        | 6                                    |                 |           | 12      | 7,060               | 588                              |
| Outagamie .....   |                    | 31                    |                        | 68                                   |                 |           | 99      | 44,404              | 448                              |
| Ozaukee .....     |                    | 8                     |                        | 31                                   |                 |           | 39      | 16,545              | 424                              |
| Pepin .....       |                    |                       |                        | 13                                   |                 |           | 20      | 7,567               | 378                              |
| Pierce .....      | 9                  |                       |                        | 28                                   |                 | 1         | 38      | 23,040              | 606                              |
| Polk .....        | 9                  |                       |                        | 27                                   |                 |           | 36      | 16,117              | 447                              |
| Portage .....     |                    | 24                    |                        | 40                                   |                 |           | 64      | 28,531              | 445                              |
| Price .....       |                    | 6                     |                        | 9                                    |                 |           | 15      | 7,257               | 483                              |
| Racine .....      |                    | 20                    |                        | 87                                   |                 |           | 107     | 41,110              | 384                              |
| Richland .....    | 11                 |                       |                        | 41                                   |                 |           | 52      | 19,619              | 377                              |
| Rock .....        | 21                 |                       |                        | 109                                  |                 |           | 130     | 43,414              | 372                              |
| St. Croix .....   | 6                  |                       |                        | 56                                   |                 |           | 62      | 28,870              | 417                              |
| Sauk .....        | 12                 |                       |                        | 68                                   | 3               |           | 83      | 32,919              | 396                              |
| Sawyer .....      | 2                  |                       |                        | 7                                    |                 |           | 9       | 3,741               | 415                              |
| Shawano .....     |                    | 4                     |                        | 16                                   |                 |           | 20      | 22,673              | 1,128                            |
| Sheboygan .....   |                    | 29                    |                        | 96                                   |                 |           | 125     | 48,396              | 387                              |



*Statistical Tables.*

## CENSUS OF INSANE UNDER PUBLIC CARE SEPT. 30, 1898.—Con.

| Counties.        | In<br>state<br>hospi-<br>tal. | In<br>north-<br>ern<br>hospi-<br>tal. | In Mil-<br>waukee<br>hospital. | In co'ty<br>asylums<br>for<br>chronic<br>insane. | In<br>poor<br>houses. | In<br>jails. | To-<br>tals. | Popula-<br>tion in<br>1895. | Ratio of<br>insanity<br>to popu-<br>lation. |
|------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Taylor.....      |                               | 6                                     |                                | 13   | 1                     |              | 20           | 8,498                       | 424   |
| Trempealeau..... | 6                             |                                       |                                | 37   |                       |              | 43           | 21,963                      | 510   |
| Vernon.....      | 15                            |                                       |                                | 56   | 4                     |              | 75           | 27,035                      | 360   |
| Vilas.....       |                               | 2                                     |                                | 3  |                       |              | 5            | 3,801                       | 760   |
| Walworth.....    | 7                             |                                       |                                | 74   |                       |              | 81           | 29,162                      | 360   |
| Washburn.....    | 4                             | 1                                     |                                | 3  |                       |              | 8            | 4,266                       | 533   |
| Washington.....  |                               | 14                                    |                                | 37   | 4                     |              | 52           | 24,077                      | 463   |
| Waukesha.....    |                               | 20                                    |                                | 59   | 3                     |              | 82           | 36,562                      | 445   |
| Waupaca.....     |                               | 23                                    |                                | 43   |                       |              | 66           | 30,793                      | 466   |
| Waushara.....    |                               | 7                                     |                                | 16   |                       |              | 23           | 15,355                      | 671   |
| Winnebago.....   |                               | 37                                    |                                | 108  |                       |              | 145          | 57,627                      | 397   |
| Wood.....        |                               | 7                                     |                                | 22   |                       |              | 29           | 21,637                      | 746   |
| State at large   | 21                            | 41                                    |                                | 194  |                       |              | 256          |                             |   |
| Total.....       | 328                           | 580                                   | 406                            | 3,236  | 21                    | 1            | 4572         | 1,987,915                   | 423   |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1897—POPULATION.

| COUNTIES.         | No. at beginning of year. |         |        | No. received during year. |         |        | Total for year. |         |        | No. discharged, recovered. |         |        | No. discharged improved. |         |        |
|-------------------|---------------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------|---------|--------|-----------------|---------|--------|----------------------------|---------|--------|--------------------------|---------|--------|
|                   | Male.                     | Female. | Total. | Male.                     | Female. | Total. | Male.           | Female. | Total. | Male.                      | Female. | Total. | Male.                    | Female. | Total. |
| Brown .....       | 55                        | 46      | 101    | 7                         | 5       | 12     | 62              | 51      | 113    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 4                        | 3       | 7      |
| Chippewa .....    | 56                        | 54      | 110    | 9                         | 8       | 17     | 65              | 59      | 124    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 1                        | ..      | 1      |
| Columbia .....    | 50                        | 50      | 100    | 7                         | 3       | 10     | 57              | 53      | 110    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 2                        | ..      | 2      |
| Dane .....        | 79                        | 70      | 149    | 14                        | 9       | 23     | 93              | 79      | 172    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 3                        | 1       | 4      |
| Dodge .....       | 60                        | 57      | 117    | 5                         | 7       | 12     | 65              | 64      | 129    | 2                          | 1       | 3      | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Dunn .....        | 63                        | 57      | 120    | 12                        | 8       | 20     | 75              | 65      | 140    | 1                          | ..      | 1      | 2                        | 4       | 6      |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 79                        | 49      | 128    | 5                         | 5       | 10     | 84              | 54      | 138    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Grant .....       | 59                        | 52      | 111    | 3                         | 6       | 9      | 62              | 58      | 120    | 1                          | 2       | 3      | 1                        | 1       | 2      |
| Green .....       | 57                        | 56      | 113    | 9                         | 8       | 17     | 66              | 64      | 130    | 1                          | ..      | 1      | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Iowa .....        | 55                        | 57      | 112    | 1                         | 1       | 2      | 56              | 58      | 114    | 1                          | 2       | 3      | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Jefferson .....   | 75                        | 43      | 118    | 12                        | 3       | 15     | 87              | 46      | 133    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 1                        | 1       | 2      |
| La Crosse .....   | 66                        | 59      | 125    | 6                         | 3       | 9      | 72              | 62      | 134    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Manitowoc .....   | 73                        | 41      | 114    | 11                        | 4       | 15     | 84              | 45      | 129    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 1                        | ..      | 1      |
| Marathon .....    | 92                        | 76      | 168    | 12                        | 5       | 17     | 104             | 81      | 185    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 5                        | 2       | 7      |
| Milwaukee .....   | 64                        | 62      | 126    | 14                        | 17      | 31     | 78              | 79      | 157    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Outagamie .....   | 65                        | 58      | 123    | 11                        | 5       | 16     | 76              | 63      | 139    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 1                        | ..      | 1      |
| Racine .....      | 62                        | 50      | 112    | 2                         | 10      | 12     | 64              | 60      | 124    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Richland .....    | ..                        | ..      | ..     | 55                        | 34      | 89     | 55              | 34      | 89     | 1                          | ..      | 1      | 1                        | 6       | 7      |
| Rock .....        | 88                        | 76      | 164    | 11                        | 14      | 25     | 99              | 90      | 189    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 1                        | 1       | 2      |
| Sauk .....        | 43                        | 51      | 94     | 8                         | 7       | 15     | 51              | 58      | 109    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 2                        | 3       | 5      |
| St. Croix .....   | ..                        | ..      | ..     | 56                        | 46      | 102    | 56              | 46      | 102    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Sheboygan .....   | 61                        | 42      | 103    | 7                         | 8       | 15     | 68              | 50      | 118    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | ..                       | ..      | ..     |
| Vernon .....      | 68                        | 51      | 119    | 14                        | 11      | 25     | 82              | 62      | 144    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 2                        | ..      | 2      |
| Walworth .....    | 48                        | 38      | 86     | 13                        | 7       | 20     | 61              | 45      | 106    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 1                        | 1       | 1      |
| Winnebago .....   | 116                       | 68      | 184    | 11                        | 20      | 31     | 127             | 88      | 215    | ..                         | ..      | ..     | 2                        | 2       | 4      |
| Totals .....      | 1,534                     | 1,263   | 2,797  | 315                       | 242     | 557    | 1,849           | 1,505   | 3,354  | 7                          | 5       | 12     | 34                       | 27      | 61     |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1897—POPULATION.

| COUNTIES.        | No. discharged not improved. |         |        | No. escaped. |         | No. died during year. |         |        | Total loss of population. |         |        | No. remaining Sept. 30, 1897. |         |        | No. absent on leave Sept. 30, 1897. |         |        |
|------------------|------------------------------|---------|--------|--------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------------------|---------|--------|
|                  | Male.                        | Female. | Total. | Male.        | Female. | Male.                 | Female. | Total. | Male.                     | Female. | Total. | Male.                         | Female. | Total. | Male.                               | Female. | Total. |
| Brown.....       |                              |         |        |              |         | 6                     | 1       | 7      | 10                        | 4       | 14     | 52                            | 47      | 99     | 2                                   | 3       | 5      |
| Chippewa.....    | 5                            | 6       | 11     |              |         | 3                     | 4       | 7      | 9                         | 10      | 19     | 56                            | 46      | 102    | 1                                   | 1       | 2      |
| Columbia.....    | 3                            | 3       | 6      | 1            | 1       | 2                     |         | 2      | 8                         | 3       | 11     | 49                            | 50      | 99     |                                     |         |        |
| Dane.....        | 8                            |         | 8      |              |         | 4                     | 2       | 6      | 15                        | 3       | 18     | 78                            | 76      | 154    | 15                                  | 12      | 27     |
| Dodge.....       |                              |         |        | 1            | 1       | 1                     | 4       | 5      | 4                         | 5       | 9      | 61                            | 59      | 120    | 1                                   |         | 1      |
| Dunn.....        | 8                            | 8       | 16     | 1            | 1       | 1                     | 4       | 5      | 13                        | 16      | 29     | 62                            | 49      | 111    | 1                                   | 4       | 5      |
| Fond du Lac..... |                              |         |        |              |         | 4                     | 5       | 9      | 4                         | 5       | 9      | 60                            | 49      | 129    |                                     |         |        |
| Grant.....       | 3                            | 8       | 11     |              |         | 2                     | 2       | 4      | 5                         | 13      | 18     | 57                            | 45      | 102    | 1                                   | 1       | 2      |
| Green.....       | 1                            |         | 1      |              |         | 3                     | 1       | 4      | 12                        | 1       | 13     | 54                            | 57      | 111    | 6                                   |         | 6      |
| Iowa.....        |                              |         |        |              |         | 6                     | 4       | 1      | 7                         | 6       | 13     | 49                            | 52      | 101    |                                     |         |        |
| Jefferson.....   | 2                            |         | 2      |              |         | 8                     | 3       | 6      | 6                         | 4       | 10     | 81                            | 42      | 123    | 1                                   | 1       | 2      |
| La Crosse.....   |                              |         |        |              |         | 7                     | 4       | 11     | 7                         | 4       | 11     | 65                            | 58      | 123    | 3                                   | 2       | 5      |
| Manitowoc.....   |                              |         |        |              |         | 3                     |         | 3      | 4                         |         | 4      | 80                            | 45      | 125    | 1                                   |         | 1      |
| Marathon.....    | 4                            | 9       | 13     | 1            | 1       | 3                     | 2       | 5      | 13                        | 13      | 26     | 91                            | 68      | 109    | 6                                   | 2       | 8      |
| Milwaukee.....   |                              |         |        |              |         | 4                     | 3       | 7      | 4                         | 3       | 7      | 74                            | 76      | 150    |                                     |         |        |
| Outagamie.....   | 1                            | 2       | 3      |              |         | 5                     | 4       | 9      | 7                         | 6       | 13     | 69                            | 57      | 126    | 18                                  | 15      | 33     |
| Racine.....      |                              | 2       | 2      |              |         | 6                     | 4       | 10     | 6                         | 6       | 12     | 58                            | 54      | 112    | 1                                   | 1       | 2      |
| Richland.....    |                              |         |        | 1            | 1       | 2                     | 1       | 3      | 5                         | 7       | 12     | 50                            | 27      | 77     | 1                                   | 6       | 7      |
| Rock.....        | 8                            | 13      | 21     | 2            | 2       | 6                     | 5       | 11     | 17                        | 19      | 36     | 82                            | 71      | 153    |                                     |         |        |
| Sauk.....        | 2                            |         | 2      | 1            | 1       | 3                     | 3       | 6      | 7                         | 7       | 14     | 44                            | 51      | 95     | 2                                   | 3       | 5      |
| St. Croix.....   |                              |         |        |              |         | 2                     | 1       | 3      | 2                         | 1       | 3      | 54                            | 45      | 99     |                                     |         |        |
| Sheboygan.....   |                              |         |        | 2            | 2       | 10                    |         | 10     | 12                        |         | 12     | 56                            | 50      | 106    | 1                                   |         | 1      |
| Vernon.....      | 3                            | 1       | 4      | 1            | 1       | 5                     | 4       | 9      | 9                         | 7       | 16     | 73                            | 55      | 128    | 1                                   | 6       | 7      |
| Walworth.....    | 8                            | 2       | 10     |              |         | 1                     |         | 1      | 9                         | 3       | 12     | 52                            | 42      | 94     |                                     |         |        |
| Winnebago.....   |                              |         |        | 1            | 1       | 4                     | 1       | 5      | 7                         | 3       | 10     | 120                           | 85      | 205    |                                     |         |        |
| Totals.....      | 56                           | 54      | 110    | 11           | 12      | 94                    | 62      | 156    | 202                       | 149     | 351    | 1,647                         | 1,356   | 3,003  | 62                                  | 57      | 119    |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1897 — OCCUPATION.

| COUNTIES.         | No. who work all day. |         |        | No. who work half a day or more. |         |        | No. who work a less amount. |         |        | No. who do not labor. |         |        | No. physically disabled. |         |        |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---------|--------|----------------------------------|---------|--------|-----------------------------|---------|--------|-----------------------|---------|--------|--------------------------|---------|--------|
|                   | Male.                 | Female. | Total. | Male.                            | Female. | Total. | Male.                       | Female. | Total. | Male.                 | Female. | Total. | Male.                    | Female. | Total. |
| Brown .....       | 15                    | 15      | 30     | 15                               | 12      | 27     | 9                           | 7       | 16     | 13                    | 13      | 26     | 16                       | 9       | 25     |
| Chippewa .....    | 22                    | 2       | 24     | 6                                | 14      | 20     | ...                         | 3       | 3      | 28                    | 27      | 55     | 8                        | 27      | 35     |
| Columbia .....    | 36                    | 34      | 70     | 5                                | 9       | 14     | 12                          | 3       | 5      | 6                     | 4       | 10     | 6                        | 4       | 10     |
| Dane .....        | 18                    | 8       | 26     | 47                               | 30      | 77     | 5                           | 27      | 32     | 8                     | 11      | 19     | ...                      | 2       | 2      |
| Dodge .....       | 10                    | 11      | 21     | 5                                | 16      | 21     | 9                           | 8       | 17     | 34                    | 24      | 58     | ...                      | ...     | ...    |
| Dunn .....        | 15                    | 16      | 31     | 19                               | 16      | 35     | 21                          | 16      | 37     | 7                     | 4       | 11     | 6                        | 3       | 9      |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 25                    | 20      | 45     | 16                               | 5       | 21     | 28                          | 5       | 33     | 11                    | 19      | 30     | 8                        | 12      | 20     |
| Grant .....       | 14                    | 7       | 21     | 18                               | 11      | 29     | 16                          | 15      | 31     | 9                     | 12      | 21     | ...                      | ...     | ...    |
| Green .....       | 27                    | 15      | 42     | 11                               | 16      | 27     | 6                           | 4       | 10     | 10                    | 22      | 32     | 10                       | 22      | 32     |
| Iowa .....        | 36                    | 26      | 62     | 7                                | 10      | 17     | 4                           | 4       | 8      | 2                     | 12      | 14     | 5                        | 6       | 11     |
| Jefferson .....   | 44                    | 20      | 64     | 29                               | 14      | 43     | 6                           | 5       | 11     | 3                     | 5       | 8      | 1                        | ...     | 1      |
| LaCrosse .....    | 50                    | 31      | 81     | 7                                | 5       | 12     | 6                           | 10      | 16     | 12                    | 14      | 26     | 3                        | 9       | 12     |
| Manitowoc .....   | 32                    | 5       | 37     | 15                               | 6       | 21     | 5                           | 10      | 15     | 28                    | 24      | 52     | 3                        | 2       | 5      |
| Marathon .....    | 15                    | 15      | 30     | ...                              | ...     | ...    | 72                          | 50      | 122    | 4                     | 3       | 7      | 1                        | 2       | 3      |
| Milwaukee .....   | 33                    | 29      | 62     | 14                               | 9       | 23     | 10                          | 8       | 18     | 17                    | 30      | 47     | 12                       | 10      | 22     |
| Outagamie .....   | 31                    | 15      | 46     | 10                               | 20      | 30     | 9                           | 11      | 20     | ...                   | ...     | ...    | 2                        | ...     | ...    |
| Racine .....      | 37                    | 33      | 70     | 11                               | 9       | 20     | 7                           | 8       | 15     | 3                     | 4       | 7      | ...                      | 3       | 5      |
| Richland .....    | 24                    | 9       | 32     | 7                                | 5       | 12     | 6                           | 6       | 12     | 14                    | 7       | 21     | 4                        | 1       | 5      |
| Rock .....        | 30                    | 28      | 58     | 25                               | 24      | 49     | 23                          | 19      | 42     | 4                     | ...     | 4      | 18                       | 16      | 34     |
| Sauk .....        | 23                    | 21      | 44     | 7                                | 17      | 24     | 8                           | 6       | 14     | 6                     | 7       | 13     | 4                        | 5       | 9      |
| St. Croix .....   | 15                    | 8       | 23     | 13                               | 9       | 22     | 16                          | 11      | 27     | 10                    | 17      | 27     | ...                      | ...     | ...    |
| Sheboygan .....   | 25                    | 17      | 42     | 10                               | 6       | 16     | 8                           | 8       | 16     | 13                    | 19      | 32     | 5                        | 6       | 11     |
| Vernon .....      | 32                    | 26      | 58     | 11                               | 8       | 19     | 8                           | 4       | 12     | 22                    | 17      | 39     | 15                       | 10      | 25     |
| Walworth .....    | 15                    | 12      | 27     | 15                               | 15      | 30     | 10                          | 8       | 18     | 12                    | 7       | 19     | 4                        | 3       | 7      |
| Winnebago .....   | 28                    | 18      | 46     | 23                               | 9       | 32     | 38                          | 18      | 56     | 31                    | 40      | 71     | 5                        | 8       | 13     |
| Totals .....      | 651                   | 438     | 1,089  | 349                              | 295     | 644    | 332                         | 264     | 596    | 349                   | 315     | 674    | 143                      | 167     | 310    |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS, 1897 — RESTRAINTS.

| Counties.         | No. who have been in restraint or seclusion all the time. |         |        | No. who have been in restraint or seclusion 1 mo. or more at a time. |         |        | No. temporarily in restraint or seclusion. |         |        | No. never in restraint or seclusion. |         |        | Total number days restraint. |         |        |
|-------------------|---|---------|--------|--|---------|--------|--|---------|--------|--------------------------------------|---------|--------|------------------------------|---------|--------|
|                   | Male.   | Female. | Total. | Male.  | Female. | Total. | Male.                                      | Female. | Total. | Male.                                | Female. | Total. | Male.                        | Female. | Total. |
| Brown .....       |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 55                                   | 44      | 99     |                              |         |        |
| Chippewa .....    |   |         |        | 1  | 1       |        | 4  | 6       | 10     | 52                                   | 39      | 91     | 15                           | 46      | 61     |
| Columbia .....    | 1   | 1       |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 49                                   | 49      | 98     |                              | 365     | 365    |
| Dane .....        |   |         |        |  |         |        | 3  | 3       | 6      | 81                                   | 67      | 148    | 60                           | 60      | 120    |
| Dodge .....       |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 60                                   | 60      | 120    |                              |         |        |
| Dunn .....        |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 62                                   | 49      | 111    |                              |         |        |
| Fond du Lac ..... |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 2       | 3      | 79                                   | 47      | 126    | 10                           | 8       | 18     |
| Grant .....       |   |         |        |  |         |        | 7  | 5       | 12     | 80                                   | 10      | 90     |                              | 14      | 14     |
| Green .....       |   |         |        |  |         |        |  | 1       | 1      | 54                                   | 56      | 110    |                              |         |        |
| Iowa .....        |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 49                                   | 52      | 101    |                              |         |        |
| Jefferson .....   |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 81                                   | 42      | 123    |                              |         |        |
| La Crosse .....   |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 4       | 5      | 64                                   | 54      | 118    | 45                           | 288     | 333    |
| Manitowoc .....   | 1   | 1       |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 80                                   | 44      | 124    |                              | 366     | 366    |
| Marathon .....    |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 91                                   | 68      | 159    |                              |         |        |
| Milwaukee .....   |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 74                                   | 76      | 150    |                              |         |        |
| Outagamie .....   | 1   | 1       |        |  |         |        | 3  | 4       | 7      | 66                                   | 52      | 118    | 6                            | 369     | 375    |
| Racine .....      |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 58                                   | 54      | 112    |                              |         |        |
| Richland .....    |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 1       | 2      | 49                                   | 26      | 75     | 71                           | 5       | 76     |
| Rock .....        | 1   | 1       |        |  |         |        | 2  | 5       | 7      | 79                                   | 66      | 145    | 372                          | 135     | 507    |
| Sauk .....        |   |         |        |  |         |        | 3  | 4       | 7      | 41                                   | 47      | 88     | 21                           | 9       | 30     |
| St. Croix .....   |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 3       | 4      | 53                                   | 42      | 95     | 10                           | 104     | 114    |
| Sheboygan .....   | 1   | 1       |        |  |         |        | 2  | 2       | 4      | 56                                   | 47      | 103    |                              | 593     | 593    |
| Vernon .....      |   |         |        | 4  | 4       |        | 3  | 3       | 6      | 73                                   | 48      | 121    |                              | 422     | 422    |
| Walworth .....    |   |         |        |  |         |        | 2  | 2       | 4      | 50                                   | 40      | 90     | 2                            | 2       | 4      |
| Winnebago .....   |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 1       | 2      | 119                                  | 84      | 203    |                              |         |        |
| Totals .....      | 1   | 4       | 5      | 5  | 5       | 5      | 29   | 46      | 75     | 1,655                                | 1,263   | 2,918  | 612                          | 2,856   | 3,468  |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1897—EXPENDITURES

| Counties.   | Paid for wages and salaries. | Paid for subsistence. | Paid for fuel and light. | Paid for clothing. | Paid for furniture. | Paid for repairs. | Paid for other ordinary expenses. | Total gross current expenses. |
|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Brown ...   | \$3,605 06                   | \$3,287 65            | \$302 64                 | \$1,400 00         | \$14 23             | \$325 00          | \$781 14                          | \$10,215 72                   |
| Chip'ewa    | 3,710 21                     | 3,607 62              | 718 34                   | 587 28             | 152 39              | 275 07            | 1,997 30                          | 11,048 21                     |
| Columbia    | 2,812 48                     | 2,702 22              | 150 36                   | 844 58             | 205 58              | 752 38            | 699 36                            | 8,166 96                      |
| Dane .....  | 3,727 49                     | 3,091 23              | 856 91                   | 1,072 86           | 364 89              | 737 85            | 2,100 23                          | 11,951 46                     |
| Dodge ...   | 3,015 20                     | 3,461 48              | 1,217 41                 | 482 20             | 13 00               | 1,034 28          | 1,093 39                          | 10,316 96                     |
| Dunn .....  | 3,306 46                     | 1,559 46              | 1,015 46                 | 648 48             | 542 00              | 199 05            | 3,646 66                          | 10,917 57                     |
| Fond du L.  | 3,256 04                     | 4,065 38              | 272 64                   | 807 42             | 410 95              | 724 97            | 2,490 83                          | 12,028 23                     |
| Grant ..... | 3,463 52                     | 3,313 04              | 711 07                   | 841 09             | 231 09              | 535 15            | 941 72                            | 10,036 68                     |
| Green ..... | 3,396 00                     | 2,327 76              | 971 85                   | 1,518 56           | 337 68              | 862 64            | 228 00                            | 9,642 52                      |
| Iowa .....  | 3,613 77                     | 2,260 31              | 51 35                    | 1,081 25           | 328 39              | 688 39            | 559 96                            | 8,613 42                      |
| Jefferson   | 3,454 91                     | 2,542 57              | 2,403 97                 | 613 80             | 115 33              | 516 82            | 596 08                            | 10,243 43                     |
| La Crosse   | 3,622 35                     | 3,614 99              | 273 75                   | 1,170 30           | 90 97               | 349 56            | 329 28                            | 9,451 20                      |
| Man'towc    | 3,996 40                     | 2,793 18              | 480 68                   | 967 38             | 822 18              | .....             | 864 12                            | 9,923 94                      |
| Marath'n    | 4,622 39                     | 6,911 27              | 1,141 90                 | 1,045 45           | 30 81               | 920 65            | 1,188 54                          | 15,859 01                     |
| Milwauk.    | 6,978 77                     | 5,234 58              | 2,340 31                 | 894 01             | 55 73               | 909 98            | 1,175 03                          | 17,588 41                     |
| Outagam.    | 4,768 68                     | 3,339 90              | 1,587 48                 | 836 60             | 26 45               | 702 76            | 1,392 08                          | 12,703 95                     |
| Racine ...  | 4,098 87                     | 4,737 23              | 1,741 28                 | 944 24             | .....               | 1,040 56          | 216 79                            | 12,815 97                     |
| Richland.   | 2,268 11                     | 1,874 49              | 759 82                   | 356 66             | .....               | 379 25            | 217 24                            | 5,856 57                      |
| Rock .....  | 4,254 33                     | 4,260 62              | 1,996 11                 | 756 85             | 40 31               | 629 75            | 335 07                            | 12,273 04                     |
| St Croix..  | 1,200 98                     | 1,171 32              | 249 79                   | 227 83             | .....               | 53 16             | 537 20                            | 3,440 28                      |
| Sauk .....  | 2,395 05                     | 1,850 52              | 380 00                   | 656 56             | 444 56              | 190 88            | 1,118 50                          | 7,066 07                      |
| Sheb'yg'n   | 3,572 96                     | 3,332 91              | 839 05                   | 603 46             | 458 59              | 841 20            | 1,174 65                          | 10,672 82                     |
| Vernon ..   | 5,036 54                     | 4,592 37              | 1,425 57                 | 957 83             | .....               | 1,015 40          | 454 21                            | 13,481 92                     |
| Walwo'th    | 1,603 69                     | 1,356 00              | 817 20                   | 862 45             | 104 23              | 935 22            | 507 52                            | 6,186 31                      |
| Win'bago    | 5,376 76                     | 5,504 11              | 2,703 83                 | 1,432 21           | 415 69              | 489 47            | 675 59                            | 16,602 66                     |
| Totals.     | \$91,187 02                  | \$82,872 21           | \$23,953 80              | \$21,659 35        | \$5,205 05          | \$14,909 44       | \$25,318 49                       | \$267,105 36                  |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1897—RECEIPTS, ETC.

| Counties.         | Received from sale of produce, stock, etc. | Received from inmates paid by themselves or friends. | Received from other sources. | Total receipts. | Net expenses | Number of weeks board furnish'd | Average capita per week. |
|-------------------|--|--|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Brown .....       | \$25 50                                    |  |                              | \$25 50         | \$10,190 22  | 5,220                           | \$1 95                   |
| Chippewa .....    | 599 57                                     | \$707 48   | \$818 63                     | 2,120 68        | 8,927 53     | 5,760                           | 1 55                     |
| Columbia .....    | 517 78                                     | 827 87   |                              | 1,345 65        | 6,821 31     | 5,185                           | 1 32                     |
| Dane .....        | 348 32                                     | 721 63   |                              | 1,069 95        | 10,881 51    | 8,032                           | 1 35                     |
| Dodge .....       |  | 111 30   |                              | 111 30          | 10,205 66    | 6,199                           | 1 65                     |
| Dunn .....        |  |  |                              |                 | 10,917 57    | 6,036                           | 1 81                     |
| Fond du Lac ..... |  |  |                              |                 | 12,028 23    | 6,721                           | 1 80                     |
| Grant .....       | 511 33                                     | 391 48   |                              | 1,302 81        | 8,733 87     | 5,581                           | 1 56                     |
| Green .....       |  |  |                              |                 | 9,642 52     | 5,778                           | 1 66                     |
| Iowa .....        | 614 44                                     | 759 14   | 176 90                       | 1,550 48        | 7,062 94     | 5,279                           | 1 34                     |
| Jefferson .....   | 713 90                                     |  |                              | 713 90          | 9,529 58     | 4,650                           | 2 05                     |
| La Crosse .....   | 987 45                                     | 130 35   |                              | 1,117 80        | 8,333 40     | 6,535                           | 1 27                     |
| Manitowoc .....   | 558 96                                     | 232 65   | 383 33                       | 1,174 99        | 8,748 95     | 6,298                           | 1 39                     |
| Marathon .....    | 335 96                                     | 612 75   | 82 20                        | 1,030 91        | 14,778 10    | 8,693                           | 1 70                     |
| Milwaukee .....   | 44 95                                      | 12 21  | 400 00                       | 457 16          | 17,131 25    | 6,801                           | 2 52                     |
| Outagamie .....   | 734 56                                     | 111 66   | 325 33                       | 1,171 55        | 11,532 40    | 6,577                           | 1 75                     |
| Racine .....      | 450 21                                     |  | 498 75                       | 978 96          | 11,840 01    | 5,983                           | 1 98                     |
| Richland .....    | 187 22                                     |  | 24 00                        | 211 22          | 5,644 35     | 2,367                           | 2 38                     |
| Rock .....        | 618 81                                     | 875 60   |                              | 1,494 41        | 10,778 63    | 8,268                           | 1 30                     |
| St. Croix .....   |  |  |                              |                 | 3,440 24     | 1,817                           | 1 88                     |
| Sauk .....        | 364 91                                     | 592 42   | 34 00                        | 991 33          | 6,074 74     | 4,975                           | 1 22                     |
| Sheboygan .....   |  | 58 30  |                              | 58 30           | 10,614 52    | 4,960                           | 2 14                     |
| Vernon .....      | 818 98                                     | 27 00  | 128 10                       | 974 08          | 12,507 84    | 6,470                           | 1 93                     |
| Walworth .....    | 406 66                                     | 1,256 52   |                              | 1,663 18        | 4,523 13     | 4,518                           | 1 00                     |
| Winnebago .....   |  |  |                              |                 | 16,602 66    | 9,886                           | 1 68                     |
| Total .....       | \$9,319 51                                 | \$7,428 36   | \$2,866 29                   | \$19,614 16     | \$247,491 20 | 148,649                         | \$1 66                   |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1898 — POPULATION.

| Counties.         | No. at begin-<br>ning of year. |         |        | No. received<br>during year. |         |        | Total for<br>year. |         |        | No. dis-<br>charged re-<br>covered. |         |        | No. dis-<br>charged<br>improved. |         |        |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------|--------|------------------------------|---------|--------|--------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------------------|---------|--------|----------------------------------|---------|--------|
|                   | Male.                          | Female. | Total. | Male.                        | Female. | Total. | Male.              | Female. | Total. | Male.                               | Female. | Total. | Male.                            | Female. | Total. |
| Brown .....       | 51                             | 47      | 98     | 6                            | 5       | 11     | 57                 | 52      | 109    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 4                                | 1       | 5      |
| Chippewa .....    | 57                             | 45      | 102    | 11                           | 7       | 18     | 68                 | 52      | 120    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | .....   | .....  |
| Columbia .....    | 49                             | 50      | 99     | 12                           | 8       | 20     | 61                 | 58      | 119    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 1                                | 2       | 3      |
| Dane .....        | 78                             | 76      | 154    | 12                           | 12      | 24     | 90                 | 88      | 178    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 3                                | 2       | 5      |
| Dodge .....       | 61                             | 59      | 120    | 8                            | .....   | 8      | 69                 | 59      | 128    | 1                                   | .....   | 1      | 2                                | .....   | 2      |
| Dunn .....        | 62                             | 49      | 111    | 13                           | 9       | 22     | 75                 | 58      | 133    | .....                               | 1       | 1      | 1                                | .....   | .....  |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 81                             | 50      | 131    | 6                            | 9       | 15     | 87                 | 59      | 146    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 2                                | 1       | 3      |
| Grant .....       | 57                             | 45      | 102    | 6                            | 10      | 16     | 63                 | 55      | 118    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | .....   | .....  |
| Green .....       | 54                             | 57      | 111    | 11                           | 11      | 22     | 65                 | 68      | 133    | 2                                   | .....   | 2      | 2                                | .....   | 2      |
| Iowa .....        | 49                             | 51      | 100    | 20                           | 8       | 28     | 69                 | 59      | 128    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | .....   | .....  |
| Jefferson .....   | 81                             | 42      | 123    | 10                           | 6       | 16     | 91                 | 48      | 139    | 1                                   | .....   | 1      | 2                                | 1       | 3      |
| La Crosse .....   | 65                             | 58      | 123    | 14                           | 11      | 25     | 79                 | 69      | 148    | .....                               | 1       | 1      | 2                                | 2       | 4      |
| Manitowoc .....   | 80                             | 45      | 125    | 30                           | 10      | 40     | 110                | 55      | 165    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 6                                | 3       | 9      |
| Marathon .....    | 91                             | 68      | 159    | 11                           | 4       | 15     | 102                | 72      | 174    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | .....   | .....  |
| Milwaukee .....   | 74                             | 76      | 150    | 9                            | 1       | 10     | 83                 | 77      | 160    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | .....   | .....  |
| Outagamie .....   | 69                             | 57      | 126    | 11                           | 10      | 21     | 80                 | 67      | 147    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 4                                | .....   | 4      |
| Racine .....      | 58                             | 54      | 112    | 11                           | 6       | 17     | 69                 | 60      | 129    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | 2       | 2      |
| Richland .....    | 50                             | 27      | 77     | 32                           | 13      | 45     | 82                 | 40      | 122    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | .....   | .....  |
| Rock .....        | 82                             | 71      | 153    | 8                            | 6       | 14     | 90                 | 77      | 167    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 1                                | 3       | 4      |
| Sauk .....        | 44                             | 51      | 95     | 8                            | 8       | 16     | 52                 | 59      | 111    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | .....                            | .....   | .....  |
| St. Croix .....   | 54                             | 45      | 99     | 28                           | 13      | 41     | 82                 | 58      | 140    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 4                                | 3       | 7      |
| Sheboygan .....   | 56                             | 50      | 106    | 9                            | 3       | 12     | 65                 | 53      | 118    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 1                                | .....   | 1      |
| Vernon .....      | 72                             | 55      | 127    | 13                           | 18      | 31     | 85                 | 73      | 158    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 1                                | 1       | 2      |
| Walworth .....    | 51                             | 43      | 94     | 11                           | 9       | 20     | 62                 | 52      | 114    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 4                                | .....   | 4      |
| Winnebago .....   | 118                            | 84      | 202    | 11                           | 7       | 18     | 129                | 91      | 220    | .....                               | .....   | .....  | 1                                | 3       | 4      |
| Totals .....      | 1,644                          | 1,355   | 2,999  | 321                          | 204     | 525    | 1,965              | 1,559   | 3,524  | 4                                   | 2       | 6      | 41                               | 23      | 64     |



*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS, FOR 1898—POPULATION.

| Counties.      | No. discharged not improved. |         |        | No. escaped. |         |        | No. died during year. |         |        | Total loss of population. |         |        | No. remaining Sept. 30, 1898. |         |        | No. absent on leave Sept. 30, 1898. |         |        |
|----------------|------------------------------|---------|--------|--------------|---------|--------|-----------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------------------|---------|--------|
|                | Male.                        | Female. | Total. | Male.        | Female. | Total. | Male.                 | Female. | Total. | Male.                     | Female. | Total. | Male.                         | Female. | Total. | Male.                               | Female. | Total. |
| Brown.....     | 2                            | 2       | 4      | 1            | 1       | 2      | 3                     | 9       | 1      | 10                        | 48      | 51     | 99                            | 4       | ...    | 4                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Chippewa.....  | 2                            | 2       | 4      | 1            | 1       | 2      | 3                     | 9       | 1      | 10                        | 65      | 48     | 113                           | 1       | 2      | 3                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Columbia.....  | ...                          | ...     | ...    | ...          | ...     | ...    | ...                   | ...     | ...    | ...                       | 58      | 51     | 109                           | ...     | ...    | ...                                 | ...     | ...    |
| Dane.....      | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 3            | 1       | 4      | 4                     | 4       | 8      | 13                        | 83      | 82     | 165                           | 17      | 14     | 31                                  | ...     | ...    |
| Dodge.....     | ...                          | ...     | ...    | ...          | ...     | ...    | 9                     | 5       | 14     | 12                        | 64      | 52     | 116                           | 2       | ...    | 2                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Dunn.....      | 1                            | 1       | 2      | ...          | ...     | ...    | 5                     | 5       | 10     | 11                        | 69      | 53     | 122                           | 1       | ...    | 1                                   | ...     | ...    |
| F. du Lac..... | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 4            | 4       | 8      | 6                     | 11      | 17     | 13                        | 76      | 57     | 133                           | 1       | ...    | 1                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Grant.....     | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 1            | 1       | 2      | 2                     | 2       | 4      | 3                         | 62      | 43     | 105                           | ...     | ...    | ...                                 | ...     | ...    |
| Green.....     | 1                            | 1       | 2      | ...          | ...     | ...    | 4                     | 4       | 8      | 12                        | 57      | 64     | 121                           | 2       | ...    | 2                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Iowa.....      | 1                            | 1       | 2      | 1            | 1       | 2      | 3                     | 4       | 7      | 7                         | 65      | 56     | 121                           | ...     | ...    | ...                                 | ...     | ...    |
| Jefferson..... | 1                            | 1       | 2      | 1            | 1       | 2      | 6                     | 1       | 7      | 13                        | 80      | 46     | 126                           | 2       | 1      | 3                                   | ...     | ...    |
| La Crosse..... | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 2            | 1       | 3      | 1                     | 1       | 2      | 8                         | 75      | 65     | 140                           | 3       | 4      | 7                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Manitowoc..... | ...                          | ...     | ...    | ...          | 1       | 1      | 3                     | 1       | 4      | 13                        | 101     | 51     | 152                           | 6       | 2      | 8                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Marathon.....  | 3                            | 3       | 6      | ...          | ...     | ...    | 3                     | 4       | 7      | 10                        | 96      | 68     | 164                           | ...     | ...    | ...                                 | ...     | ...    |
| Milwaukee..... | ...                          | ...     | ...    | ...          | ...     | ...    | 5                     | 5       | 10     | 7                         | 78      | 75     | 153                           | ...     | ...    | ...                                 | ...     | ...    |
| Outagamie..... | ...                          | ...     | ...    | ...          | ...     | ...    | 6                     | 3       | 9      | 14                        | 69      | 64     | 133                           | 22      | 15     | 37                                  | ...     | ...    |
| Racine.....    | 1                            | 1       | 2      | 1            | 2       | 3      | 1                     | 3       | 4      | 9                         | 65      | 55     | 120                           | 2       | 2      | 4                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Richland.....  | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 1            | 1       | 2      | 3                     | 3       | 6      | 6                         | 78      | 38     | 116                           | ...     | ...    | 2                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Rock.....      | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 1            | 1       | 2      | 6                     | 9       | 15     | 16                        | 82      | 69     | 151                           | 1       | 3      | 4                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Sauk.....      | 6                            | 6       | 12     | ...          | ...     | ...    | 2                     | 2       | 4      | 8                         | 50      | 53     | 103                           | ...     | ...    | ...                                 | ...     | ...    |
| St. Croix..... | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 1            | 1       | 2      | 6                     | 6       | 12     | 14                        | 72      | 54     | 126                           | 3       | 3      | 6                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Sheboygan..... | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 1            | 1       | 2      | 5                     | 4       | 9      | 6                         | 61      | 51     | 112                           | 1       | ...    | 1                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Vernon.....    | 10                           | 5       | 15     | 1            | 1       | 2      | 4                     | 4       | 8      | 11                        | 71      | 62     | 133                           | 2       | 2      | 4                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Walworth.....  | ...                          | ...     | ...    | 2            | 2       | 4      | 4                     | 4       | 8      | 14                        | 52      | 48     | 100                           | 1       | 1      | 2                                   | ...     | ...    |
| Winnebago..... | 11                           | 11      | 22     | 3            | 3       | 6      | 6                     | 2       | 8      | 27                        | 108     | 85     | 193                           | ...     | ...    | ...                                 | ...     | ...    |
| Totals.....    | 30                           | 19      | 49     | 26           | 4       | 30     | 79                    | 60      | 139    | 180                       | 1,785   | 1,451  | 3,236                         | 71      | 51     | 122                                 | ...     | ...    |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1898—OCCUPATION.

| Counties.        | No. who work all day. |         |        | No. who work ½ day or more. |         |        | No. who work a less amount. |         |        | No. who do not labor. |         |        | No. physically disabled. |         |        |
|------------------|-----------------------|---------|--------|-----------------------------|---------|--------|-----------------------------|---------|--------|-----------------------|---------|--------|--------------------------|---------|--------|
|                  | Male.                 | Female. | Total. | Male.                       | Female. | Total. | Male.                       | Female. | Total. | Male.                 | Female. | Total. | Male.                    | Female. | Total. |
| Brown.....       | 10                    | 11      | 21     | 12                          | 9       | 21     | 6                           | 6       | 12     | 20                    | 25      | 45     | 14                       | 7       | 21     |
| Chippewa.....    | 20                    | 7       | 27     | 7                           | 12      | 19     | 7                           | 3       | 10     | 28                    | 29      | 57     | 20                       | 25      | 45     |
| Columbia.....    | 40                    | 35      | 75     | 5                           | 11      | 16     | 2                           | 3       | 5      | 7                     | 6       | 13     | 7                        | 6       | 13     |
| Dane.....        | 18                    | 8       | 26     | 35                          | 35      | 70     | 25                          | 35      | 60     | 12                    | 10      | 22     | 1                        | 2       | 3      |
| Dodge.....       | 10                    | 11      | 21     | 8                           | 16      | 24     | 9                           | 8       | 17     | 32                    | 22      | 54     | .....                    | .....   | .....  |
| Dunn.....        | 35                    | 29      | 64     | 13                          | 8       | 21     | 11                          | 12      | 23     | 9                     | 5       | 14     | 8                        | 4       | 12     |
| Fond du Lac..... | 20                    | 15      | 35     | 18                          | 8       | 26     | 26                          | 5       | 31     | 12                    | 29      | 41     | 8                        | 12      | 20     |
| Grant.....       | 14                    | 7       | 21     | 17                          | 12      | 29     | 21                          | 20      | 41     | 10                    | 14      | 24     | .....                    | .....   | .....  |
| Green.....       | 31                    | 16      | 47     | 19                          | 20      | 39     | 7                           | 4       | 11     | 8                     | 28      | 36     | 8                        | 28      | 36     |
| Iowa.....        | 44                    | 27      | 71     | 8                           | 10      | 18     | 3                           | 3       | 6      | 10                    | 16      | 26     | .....                    | .....   | .....  |
| Jefferson.....   | 42                    | 20      | 62     | 30                          | 16      | 46     | 6                           | 7       | 13     | 2                     | 3       | 5      | .....                    | .....   | .....  |
| La Crosse.....   | 54                    | 30      | 84     | 9                           | 12      | 21     | 8                           | 9       | 17     | 4                     | 14      | 18     | 2                        | 8       | 10     |
| Manitowoc.....   | 40                    | 15      | 55     | 18                          | 12      | 30     | 22                          | 10      | 32     | 15                    | 14      | 29     | 4                        | 3       | 7      |
| Marathon.....    | 15                    | 15      | 30     | .....                       | .....   | .....  | 80                          | 49      | 129    | 7                     | 8       | 15     | 5                        | 2       | 7      |
| Milwaukee.....   | 40                    | 30      | 70     | 14                          | 3       | 17     | 9                           | 14      | 23     | 15                    | 28      | 43     | 12                       | 12      | 24     |
| Outagamie.....   | 36                    | 20      | 56     | 12                          | 22      | 34     | 12                          | 12      | 24     | 9                     | 10      | 19     | 7                        | 7       | 14     |
| Racine.....      | 39                    | 33      | 72     | 9                           | 9       | 18     | 10                          | 6       | 16     | 7                     | 7       | 14     | 3                        | 5       | 8      |
| Richland.....    | 33                    | 12      | 45     | 15                          | 9       | 24     | 13                          | 8       | 21     | 17                    | 9       | 26     | 8                        | 3       | 11     |
| Rock.....        | 30                    | 21      | 51     | 22                          | 25      | 47     | 20                          | 12      | 32     | 18                    | 19      | 37     | 13                       | 14      | 27     |
| Sauk.....        | 21                    | 22      | 43     | 10                          | 12      | 22     | 9                           | 13      | 22     | 10                    | 6       | 16     | .....                    | .....   | .....  |
| St. Croix.....   | 18                    | 8       | 26     | 20                          | 8       | 28     | 23                          | 22      | 45     | 11                    | 16      | 27     | .....                    | .....   | .....  |
| Sheboygan.....   | 22                    | 18      | 40     | 10                          | 8       | 18     | 11                          | 7       | 18     | 18                    | 18      | 36     | 8                        | 9       | 17     |
| Vernon.....      | 25                    | 25      | 50     | 11                          | 4       | 15     | 5                           | .....   | 5      | 30                    | 33      | 63     | 6                        | 9       | 15     |
| Walworth.....    | 18                    | 14      | 32     | 17                          | 12      | 29     | 10                          | 9       | 19     | 6                     | 14      | 20     | 5                        | 10      | 15     |
| Winnebago.....   | 18                    | 15      | 33     | 23                          | 9       | 32     | 38                          | 18      | 56     | 32                    | 40      | 72     | 6                        | 8       | 14     |
| Totals.....      | 693                   | 464     | 1,157  | 362                         | 302     | 664    | 359                         | 295     | 654    | 349                   | 423     | 772    | 145                      | 174     | 319    |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS, 1898—RESTRAINTS.

| Counties.   | No. who have been in restraint or seclusion all the time. |         |        | No. who have been in restraint or seclusion 1 mo. or more at a time. |         |        | No. temporarily in restraint or seclusion. |         |        | No. never in restraint or seclusion. |         |        | Total number days in restraint. |         |        |
|-------------|---|---------|--------|--|---------|--------|--|---------|--------|--------------------------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------------|---------|--------|
|             | Male.   | Female. | Total. | Male.  | Female. | Total. | Male.                                      | Female. | Total. | Male.                                | Female. | Total. | Male.                           | Female. | Total. |
| Brown       |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 57                                   | 42      | 99     |                                 |         |        |
| Chippewa    |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 2       | 3      | 62                                   | 48      | 110    | 1                               | 2       | 3      |
| Columbia    |   | 1       | 1      |  |         |        |  |         |        | 58                                   | 50      | 108    |                                 |         | 235    |
| Dane        |   |         |        |  |         |        | 2  | 2       | 4      | 88                                   | 86      | 174    | 15                              | 15      | 30     |
| Dodge       |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 63                                   | 53      | 116    |                                 |         |        |
| Dunn        |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 69                                   | 53      | 122    |                                 |         |        |
| Fond du Lac |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 2       | 3      | 75                                   | 55      | 130    | 10                              | 8       | 18     |
| Grant       |   |         |        |  |         |        | 7  | 4       | 11     | 55                                   | 49      | 104    | 7                               | 4       | 11     |
| Green       |   |         |        |  |         |        |  | 1       | 1      | 65                                   | 67      | 132    |                                 | 1       | 1      |
| Iowa        |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 65                                   | 56      | 121    |                                 |         |        |
| Jefferson   |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 80                                   | 46      | 126    |                                 |         |        |
| La Crosse   |   |         |        |  |         |        | 4  | 2       | 6      | 71                                   | 63      | 134    | 151                             | 121     | 272    |
| Manitowoc   |   |         |        |  |         |        |  | 2       | 2      | 101                                  | 49      | 150    |                                 | 466     | 466    |
| Marathon    |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 102                                  | 72      | 174    |                                 |         |        |
| Milwaukee   |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 78                                   | 75      | 153    |                                 |         |        |
| Outagamie   |   | 1       | 1      |  |         |        | 2  | 2       | 4      | 67                                   | 61      | 128    | 2                               | 368     | 370    |
| Racine      |   |         |        |  |         |        |  |         |        | 65                                   | 55      | 120    |                                 |         |        |
| Richland    |   |         |        |  |         |        | 4  | 3       | 7      | 71                                   | 35      | 109    | 65                              | 42      | 107    |
| Rock        |   |         |        | 1  |         | 1      | 1  | 1       | 2      | 88                                   | 76      | 164    | 338                             | 5       | 343    |
| Sauk        |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 2       | 3      | 49                                   | 51      | 100    | 2                               | 2       | 4      |
| St. Croix   |   |         |        |  |         |        | 4  | 3       | 7      | 68                                   | 51      | 119    | 28                              | 22      | 50     |
| Sheboygan   |   | 1       | 1      |  |         |        |  | 2       | 2      | 61                                   | 48      | 109    |                                 | 419     | 419    |
| Vernon      |   |         |        | 1  | 4       | 5      |  | 5       | 5      | 70                                   | 5       | 123    | 94                              | 347     | 441    |
| Walworth    |   |         |        |  |         |        | 2  | 2       | 4      | 49                                   | 47      | 96     | 10                              | 15      | 25     |
| Winnebago   |   |         |        |  |         |        | 1  | 3       | 4      | 107                                  | 82      | 189    | 1                               | 3       | 4      |
| Total       |   | 3       |        | 2  | 4       | 6      | 30   | 38      | 68     | 1,787                                | 1,423   | 3,210  | 724                             | 2,075   | 2,799  |

*Statistical Tables.*STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1898—  
EXPENDITURES.

| Counties.  | Paid for wages and salaries. | Paid for subsistence. | Paid for fuel and light. | Paid for clothing. | Paid for furniture. | Paid for repairs. | Paid for other ordinary expenses. | Total gross current expenses. |
|------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Brown ...  | \$3,477 28                   | \$3,958 61            | \$895 28                 | \$1,432 27         | \$63 15             | \$300 00          | \$765 32                          | \$10,891 91                   |
| Chipp'wa   | 3,558 10                     | 3,369 53              | 1,249 96                 | 658 72             | 205 65              | 261 46            | 1,850 31                          | 11,153 73                     |
| Columbia   | 2,877 22                     | 2,656 24              | 168 46                   | 744 56             | 128 80              | 829 75            | 1,154 63                          | 8,559 66                      |
| Dane.....  | 3,882 58                     | 2,988 47              | 574 57                   | 1,005 13           | 769 69              | 474 42            | 2,231 49                          | 11,926 35                     |
| Dodge .... | 2,966 65                     | 4,195 55              | 1,057 85                 | 467 71             | 53 70               | 962 22            | 1,058 41                          | 10,762 09                     |
| Dunn ....  | 3,508 58                     | 1,300 36              | 418 19                   | 741 66             | 380 08              | 113 55            | 3,316 82                          | 9,779 24                      |
| F'd d' L'c | 3,336 04                     | 4,334 69              | 1,605 93                 | 819 97             | 301 93              | 904 39            | 387 69                            | 11,693 64                     |
| Grant..... | 3,460 33                     | 3,244 89              | 662 65                   | 1,061 24           | 129 79              | 552 65            | 1,407 93                          | 10,539 48                     |
| Green .... | 3,558 71                     | 3,080 00              | 879 12                   | 1,720 00           | 150 00              | 560 00            | 120 92                            | 10,068 75                     |
| Iowa.....  | 3,621 92                     | 2,691 74              | 169 91                   | 665 87             | 93 76               | 727 33            | 643 43                            | 8,613 96                      |
| Jefferson. | 3,596 82                     | 3,412 29              | 2,263 73                 | 513 56             | 239 09              | 694 60            | 763 70                            | 11,783 79                     |
| La Cr'sse  | 3,799 93                     | 4,108 56              | 180 24                   | 972 81             | 384 84              | 406 61            | 481 17                            | 10,332 16                     |
| Mn't woc.  | 4,915 93                     | 4,380 53              | 747 74                   | 1,664 40           | 601 12              | 1,162 90          | 1,122 00                          | 14,594 62                     |
| Marath'n   | 5,030 81                     | 7,069 54              | 441 74                   | 1,068 42           | 195 37              | 1,120 37          | 1,584 77                          | 16,511 02                     |
| Milw'kee.  | 7,815 87                     | 5,208 90              | 2,098 47                 | 765 86             | 47 30               | 423 54            | 1,807 18                          | 18,167 12                     |
| Out'omie   | 4,700 53                     | 3,111 42              | 678 37                   | 972 47             | 3 50                | 915 68            | 597 24                            | 10,979 21                     |
| Racine...  | 3,968 25                     | 4,431 01              | 679 81                   | 831 35             | .....               | 1,036 63          | 404 78                            | 11,351 83                     |
| Richland.  | 3,771 68                     | 3,426 73              | 830 47                   | 611 70             | .....               | 284 29            | 421 68                            | 9,346 55                      |
| Rock.....  | 4,431 98                     | 4,073 30              | 2,051 68                 | 547 99             | 80 16               | 571 76            | 431 88                            | 12,188 75                     |
| St. Croix. | 3,173 45                     | 2,180 21              | 348 77                   | 655 82             | .....               | 374 35            | 2,382 40                          | 9,110 00                      |
| Sauk.....  | 2,495 65                     | 2,052 84              | 133 92                   | 722 46             | 262 88              | 285 06            | 1,101 63                          | 7,054 44                      |
| Sh'b'y'g'n | 3,695 73                     | 3,032 59              | 1,024 03                 | 539 91             | 368 56              | 263 72            | 1,492 72                          | 10,417 26                     |
| Vernon...  | 4,974 44                     | 5,125 55              | 1,820 59                 | 842 67             | .....               | 592 49            | 329 39                            | 13,185 13                     |
| W'lwrth.   | 2,532 07                     | 1,839 87              | 773 30                   | 646 57             | 123 69              | 686 68            | 829 76                            | 7,481 94                      |
| W'n'b'go   | 5,436 43                     | 6,194 09              | 2,263 75                 | 1,250 02           | 219 42              | 475 31            | 629 36                            | 16,468 88                     |
| Totals..   | \$98,586 98                  | \$91,515 51           | \$23,513 53              | \$22,243 14        | \$4,805 48          | \$14,979 76       | \$27,316 61                       | \$282,961 01                  |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR 1898 — RECEIPTS, ETC.

| Counties.         | Received from sale of produce, stock, etc. | Received from inmates paid by themselves or friends. | Received from other sources. | Total receipts. | Net expenses. | Number of weeks board furnished. | Average capita per week. |
|-------------------|--|--|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Brown.....        | \$103 18                                   |  |                              | \$103 18        | \$10,788 73   | 5,204                            | \$2 07                   |
| Chippewa .....    | 2,047 83                                   | \$875 24   |                              | 2,723 07        | 8,430 66      | 5,693                            | 1 48                     |
| Columbia .....    | 627 55                                     | 780 09   |                              | 1,407 64        | 7,152 02      | 5,921                            | 1 20                     |
| Dane .....        | 512 46                                     | 1,354 06   |                              | 1,866 52        | 10,059 83     | 8,212                            | 1 22                     |
| Dodge .....       |  |  |                              |                 | 10,762 09     | 6,216                            | 1 73                     |
| Dunn.....         |  |  |                              |                 | 9,779 24      | 5,651                            | 1 73                     |
| Fond du Lac ..... |  |  |                              |                 | 11,693 64     | 6,461                            | 1 81                     |
| Grant.....        | 1,374 78                                   | 312 85   |                              | 1,687 63        | 8,851 85      | 5,540                            | 1 60                     |
| Green.....        |  |  |                              |                 | 10,068 75     | 5,625                            | 1 79                     |
| Iowa.....         | 1,140 70                                   | 862 52   | \$631 33                     | 2,634 55        | 5,979 41      | 5,094                            | 1 17                     |
| Jefferson .....   | 1,762 42                                   |  |                              | 1,762 42        | 10,021 37     | 6,523                            | 1 54                     |
| La Crosse .....   | 1,200 18                                   | 112 89   |                              | 1,313 07        | 9,019 09      | 6,542                            | 1 56                     |
| Manitowoc .....   | 183 27                                     | 80 00  | 638 40                       | 901 67          | 13,692 95     | 8,495                            | 1 61                     |
| Marathon .....    | 642 39                                     |  | 167 43                       | 809 82          | 15,701 20     | 9,236                            | 1 70                     |
| Milwaukee .....   | 61 96                                      | 11 69  |                              | 73 65           | 18,093 47     | 7,965                            | 2 27                     |
| Outagamie.....    | 1,729 99                                   | 156 42   | 306 35                       | 2,192 76        | 8,786 45      | 6,784                            | 1 30                     |
| Racine.....       | 485 50                                     | 354 66   |                              | 840 16          | 10,511 67     | 6,105                            | 1 72                     |
| Richland.....     | 114 50                                     | 460 21   |                              | 574 71          | 8,771 84      | 5,157                            | 1 70                     |
| Rock.....         | 500 00                                     | 547 50   |                              | 1,047 50        | 11,141 25     | 7,806                            | 1 43                     |
| St. Croix.....    | 608 93                                     |  |                              | 608 93          | 8,501 07      | 5,859                            | 1 45                     |
| Sauk.....         | 431 46                                     | 395 05   |                              | 826 51          | 6,227 93      | 4,977                            | 1 25                     |
| Sheboygan.....    |  |  |                              |                 | 10,417 26     | 5,604                            | 1 86                     |
| Vernon.....       | 908 87                                     |  | 262 80                       | 1,171 67        | 12,013 46     | 6,350                            | 1 89                     |
| Walworth.....     | 245 18                                     | 1,230 25   |                              | 1,475 43        | 6,006 51      | 4,853                            | 1 24                     |
| Winnebago.....    |  |  |                              |                 | 16,463 38     | 10,005                           | 1 65                     |
| Totals .....      | \$14,681 15                                | \$7,333 43   | \$2,006 31                   | \$24 020 39     | 258,940 12    | 161,878                          | \$1 60                   |

*Statistical Tables.***BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY ASYLUMS***For the year ending September 30, 1897.*

|                                | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.      |             |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>Brown County Asylum:</b>    |                |                 |             |             |
| Own county.....                | \$3,644 14     |                 | \$3,644 14  |             |
| Marinette.....                 | 298 92         | \$387 82        | 686 74      |             |
| Oconto.....                    | 887 13         | 1,088 80        | 1,975 93    |             |
|                                | \$7,830 19     | \$1,456 62      |             | \$9,286 81  |
| <b>Chippewa County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                | \$3,766 93     |                 | \$3,766 93  |             |
| Barron.....                    | 547 50         | 590 61          | 1,138 11    |             |
| Burnett.....                   | 78 21          | 84 67           | 162 88      |             |
| Eau Claire.....                | 3,298 07       | 3,621 65        | 6,919 72    |             |
| Pepin.....                     | 52 29          | 58 79           | 111 08      |             |
| Sawyer.....                    | 78 21          | 93 97           | 172 18      |             |
| St. Croix.....                 | 492 69         | 549 59          | 1,042 28    |             |
| Taylor.....                    | 61 93          | 70 13           | 132 06      |             |
|                                | \$8,375 83     | \$5,069 41      |             | \$13,445 24 |
| <b>Columbia County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                | \$4,409 14     |                 | \$4,409 14  |             |
| Adams.....                     | 78 21          | \$103 03        | 181 24      |             |
| Jackson.....                   | 78 21          | 96 29           | 174 50      |             |
| Marquette.....                 | 156 43         | 178 65          | 335 08      |             |
| Portage.....                   | 194 78         | 244 42          | 439 20      |             |
| Waushara.....                  | 217 50         | 276 19          | 493 69      |             |
| State at large.....            | 4,112 85       |                 | 4,112 85    |             |
|                                | \$9,247 12     | \$898 58        |             | \$10,145 70 |
| <b>Dane County Asylum:</b>     |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                | \$10,822 76    |                 | \$10,822 76 |             |
| Pierce.....                    | 234 64         | \$269 95        | 504 59      |             |
| State at large.....            | 828 70         |                 | 828 70      |             |
|                                | \$11,886 10    | \$269 95        |             | \$12,156 05 |
| <b>Dodge County Asylum:</b>    |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                | \$3,275 14     |                 | \$3,275 14  |             |
| Lincoln.....                   | 234 64         | \$268 29        | 502 93      |             |
| Oconto.....                    | 703 92         | 806 67          | 1,510 59    |             |
| Shawano.....                   | 156 42         | 179 12          | 335 54      |             |
| Washington.....                | 1,561 28       | 1,776 23        | 3,340 51    |             |
| State at large.....            | 670 01         |                 | 670 01      |             |
|                                | \$9,604 41     | \$3,030 31      |             | \$12,634 72 |
| <b>Dunn County Asylum:</b>     |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                | \$3,294 00     |                 | \$3,294 00  |             |
| Barron.....                    | 547 50         | \$577 40        | 1,124 90    |             |
| Burnett.....                   | 156 42         | 165 92          | 322 34      |             |
| Douglas.....                   | 156 42         | 165 57          | 321 99      |             |
| Eau Claire.....                | 312 85         | 321 65          | 634 50      |             |
| Jackson.....                   | 156 42         | 165 17          | 321 59      |             |
| Pepin.....                     | 469 28         | 494 83          | 964 11      |             |
| Pierce.....                    | 727 28         | 771 03          | 1,498 31    |             |
| Portage.....                   | 234 64         | 249 84          | 484 48      |             |
| Price.....                     | 156 42         | 164 67          | 321 09      |             |
| Polk.....                      | 438 64         | 455 29          | 893 93      |             |
| St. Croix.....                 | 644 57         | 721 72          | 1,366 29    |             |
| Taylor.....                    | 391 07         | 414 97          | 806 04      |             |
| Washburn.....                  | 78 21          | 83 46           | 161 67      |             |
| Waupaca.....                   | 234 64         | 244 14          | 478 78      |             |
| State at large.....            | 1,383 87       |                 | 1,383 87    |             |
|                                | \$9,382 23     | \$4,995 66      |             | \$14,377 89 |

*Statistical Tables.*

## BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY ASYLUMS — Continued.

|                                   | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.     |             |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>Fond du Lac County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                  | \$7,148 36     |                 | \$7,148 36 |             |
| Douglas .....                     | 78 21          | \$39 47         | 167 68     |             |
| Green Lake .....                  | 909 65         | 1,080 85        | 1,990 50   |             |
| Marquette .....                   | 489 29         | 550 04          | 1,039 33   |             |
| Marquette .....                   | 489 29         | 580 59          | 1,069 88   |             |
| Price .....                       | 234 64         | 295 15          | 529 79     |             |
| Portage .....                     | 156 43         | 193 93          | 350 36     |             |
| Waupaca .....                     | 78 21          | 84 47           | 162 68     |             |
| State at large .....              | 358 36         |                 | 358 36     |             |
|                                   | \$9,902 41     | \$2,874 50      |            | \$12,776 94 |
| <b>Grant County Asylum:</b>       |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                  | \$5,833 29     |                 | \$5,833 29 |             |
| Crawford .....                    | 1,388 64       | \$1,637 59      | 3,026 23   |             |
| Brown .....                       | 78 21          | 93 96           | 172 17     |             |
| Lafayette .....                   | 262 28         | 318 84          | 581 12     |             |
| Richland .....                    | 358 28         | 542 19          | 900 47     |             |
| State at large .....              | 355 65         |                 | 355 65     |             |
|                                   | \$8,271 35     | \$2,592 58      |            | \$10,863 93 |
| <b>Green County Asylum:</b>       |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                  | \$3,865 71     |                 | \$3,865 71 |             |
| Buffalo .....                     | 243 00         | \$302 50        | 545 50     |             |
| Jackson .....                     | 312 86         | 371 91          | 684 77     |             |
| Juneau .....                      | 469 29         | 570 09          | 1,039 38   |             |
| Lafayette .....                   | 2,243 14       | 2,726 39        | 4,969 53   |             |
| Polk .....                        | 327 86         | 418 71          | 746 57     |             |
|                                   | \$7,461 86     | \$4,389 60      |            | \$11,851 46 |
| <b>Iowa County Asylum:</b>        |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                  | \$3,939 21     |                 | \$3,939 21 |             |
| Buffalo .....                     | 86 36          | \$127 71        | 214 07     |             |
| Jackson .....                     | 234 64         | 272 40          | 507 04     |             |
| Pierce .....                      | 234 64         | 257 90          | 492 54     |             |
| Polk .....                        | 858 43         | 992 68          | 1,851 11   |             |
| Richland .....                    | 97 71          | 132 96          | 230 67     |             |
| Trempealeau .....                 | 78 21          | 92 07           | 170 28     |             |
| Waukesha .....                    | 1,996 50       | 2,248 35        | 4,244 85   |             |
| State at large .....              | 848 95         |                 | 848 95     |             |
|                                   | \$8,374 65     | \$4,124 07      |            | \$12,498 72 |
| <b>Jefferson County Asylum:</b>   |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                  | \$6,975 42     |                 | \$6,975 42 |             |
| Burnett .....                     | 547 50         | \$668 23        | 1,215 73   |             |
| Juneau .....                      | 1,131 42       | 1,376 48        | 2,507 90   |             |
| Waukesha .....                    | 78 21          | 78 21           | 156 42     |             |
| State at large .....              | 1,805 98       |                 | 1,805 98   |             |
|                                   | \$10,538 53    | 2,122 92        |            | \$12,661 45 |
| <b>La Crosse County Asylum:</b>   |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                  | \$5,829 64     |                 | \$5,829 64 |             |
| Barron .....                      | 156 43         | \$168 93        | 325 36     |             |
| Buffalo .....                     | 1,067 79       | 1,059 44        | 2,076 23   |             |
| Clark .....                       | 547 50         | 594 35          | 1,141 85   |             |
| Jackson .....                     | 391 07         | 439 87          | 830 94     |             |
| Monroe .....                      | 78 21          | 88 61           | 166 82     |             |
| Trempealeau .....                 | 838 50         | 926 10          | 1,764 60   |             |
| State at large .....              | 2,027 98       |                 | 2,027 98   |             |
|                                   | \$10,886 12    | \$3,277 30      |            | \$14,163 42 |

*Statistical Tables.***BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY  
ASYLUMS — Continued.**

|                                 | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.     |             |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>Marathon County Asylum:</b>  |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$2,627 14     |                 | \$2,627 14 |             |
| Ashland .....                   | 907 71         | \$1,049 12      | 1,956 83   |             |
| Barron .....                    | 234 64         | 270 80          | 505 44     |             |
| Bayfield .....                  | 156 43         | 187 48          | 343 91     |             |
| Buffalo .....                   | 121 71         | 139 41          | 261 12     |             |
| Clark .....                     | 1,423 84       | 813 20          | 2,237 04   |             |
| Douglas .....                   | 478 50         | 591 00          | 1,069 50   |             |
| Florence .....                  | 156 43         | 176 43          | 332 86     |             |
| Iron .....                      | 391 07         | 448 58          | 839 65     |             |
| Jackson .....                   | 312 86         | 369 86          | 682 72     |             |
| Langlade .....                  | 234 64         | 253 80          | 488 44     |             |
| Lincoln .....                   | 712 50         | 814 35          | 1,526 85   |             |
| Marquette .....                 | 234 64         | 256 25          | 490 89     |             |
| Oconto .....                    | 234 64         | 271 70          | 506 34     |             |
| Oneida .....                    | 173 36         | 203 06          | 376 42     |             |
| Pierce .....                    | 55 71          | 70 72           | 126 43     |             |
| Polk .....                      | 248 36         | 283 11          | 531 47     |             |
| Portage .....                   | 1,165 50       | 1,300 20        | 2,465 70   |             |
| Sawyer .....                    | 156 43         | 180 82          | 337 25     |             |
| Shawano .....                   | 581 36         | 672 46          | 1,253 82   |             |
| Trempealeau .....               | 302 79         | 354 99          | 657 78     |             |
| Vilas .....                     | 16 93          | 21 83           | 38 76      |             |
| Waupaca .....                   | 938 57         | 1,065 33        | 2,003 90   |             |
| Wausara .....                   | 156 43         | 164 28          | 320 71     |             |
| Wood .....                      | 1,016 79       | 1,182 54        | 2,199 33   |             |
| State at large .....            | 409 56         |                 | 409 56     |             |
|                                 | \$13,448 54    | \$11,141 38     |            | \$24,589 92 |
| <b>Manitowoc County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$3,616 29     |                 | \$3,616 29 |             |
| Ashland .....                   | 54 22          | \$64 66         | 118 88     |             |
| Calumet .....                   | 391 08         | 466 03          | 857 16     |             |
| Door .....                      | 564 22         | 672 41          | 1,236 63   |             |
| Iron .....                      | 78 22          | 93 22           | 171 44     |             |
| Kewaunee .....                  | 564 43         | 672 81          | 1,237 24   |             |
| Marinette .....                 | 16 71          | 20 01           | 36 72      |             |
| Oconto .....                    | 46 72          | 55 71           | 102 43     |             |
| Ozaukee .....                   | 2,162 57       | 2,577 34        | 4,739 91   |             |
| Washington .....                | 157 50         | 187 50          | 345 00     |             |
| Waupaca .....                   | 391 08         | 466 08          | 857 16     |             |
| State at large .....            | 2,927 90       |                 | 2,927 90   |             |
|                                 | \$10,970 94    | \$5,275 82      |            | \$16,246 76 |
| <b>Milwaukee County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$9,966 43     |                 | \$9,966 43 | \$9,966 43  |
| <b>Outagamie County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$4,429 93     |                 | \$4,429 93 |             |
| Calumet .....                   | 1,081 93       | \$1,271 10      | 2,353 03   |             |
| Door .....                      | 625 71         | 731 81          | 1,357 52   |             |
| Kewaunee .....                  | 703 92         | 799 62          | 1,503 54   |             |
| Langlade .....                  | 78 21          | 79 96           | 158 17     |             |
| Marinette .....                 | 48 21          | 53 56           | 101 77     |             |
| Oconto .....                    | 487 50         | 579 10          | 1,066 60   |             |
| Shawano .....                   | 16 07          | 20 27           | 36 34      |             |
| Waukesha .....                  | 462 00         | 542 20          | 1,004 20   |             |
| Waupaca .....                   | 1,279 71       | 1,531 78        | 2,811 49   |             |
| Wood .....                      | 78 21          | 86 11           | 164 32     |             |
| State at large .....            | 272 02         |                 | 272 02     |             |
|                                 | \$9,563 41     | \$5,695 51      |            | \$15,258 93 |



*Statistical Tables.***BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY ASYLUMS—Continued.**

|                                 | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.     |             |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>Racine County Asylum:</b>    |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$6,350 14     |                 | \$6,350 14 |             |
| Kenosha .....                   | 2,153 36       | \$2,363 10      | 4,516 46   |             |
| State at large .....            | 969 38         |                 | 969 38     |             |
|                                 | \$9,472 88     | \$2,363 10      |            | \$11,835 98 |
| <b>Richland County Asylum:</b>  |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$1,654 50     |                 | \$1,654 50 |             |
| Adams .....                     | 158 14         | \$183 97        | 342 11     |             |
| Crawford .....                  | 45 42          | 52 99           | 98 41      |             |
| Lafayette .....                 | 74 55          | 86 97           | 161 52     |             |
| Marquette .....                 | 16 92          | 19 74           | 36 66      |             |
| Waushara .....                  | 195 00         | 224 10          | 419 10     |             |
| State at large .....            | 3,104 84       |                 | 3,104 84   |             |
|                                 | \$5,249 37     | \$567 77        |            | \$5,817 14  |
| <b>Rock County Asylum:</b>      |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$7,988 14     |                 | \$7,988 14 |             |
| Buffalo .....                   | 78 21          | \$98 96         | 177 17     |             |
| Crawford .....                  | 532 92         | 537 40          | 1,120 32   |             |
| Jackson .....                   | 156 42         | 160 02          | 316 44     |             |
| Lafayette .....                 | 615 42         | 704 40          | 1,319 82   |             |
| Marquette .....                 | 469 28         | 504 13          | 973 41     |             |
| Marquette .....                 | 477 85         | 524 80          | 1,002 65   |             |
| Pepin .....                     | 312 85         | 351 60          | 664 45     |             |
| Richland .....                  | 285 42         | 334 47          | 619 89     |             |
| Sawyer .....                    | 78 21          | 90 71           | 168 92     |             |
| Washburn .....                  | 78 21          | 79 71           | 157 92     |             |
| Waukesha .....                  | 234 64         | 261 64          | 496 28     |             |
| State at large .....            | 1,508 59       |                 | 1,508 59   |             |
|                                 | \$12,816 16    | \$3,697 84      |            | \$16,514 00 |
| <b>Sauk County Asylum:</b>      |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$3,886 29     |                 | \$3,886 29 |             |
| Adams .....                     | 156 43         | \$186 88        | 343 31     |             |
| Burnett .....                   | 78 22          | 83 81           | 162 03     |             |
| Juneau .....                    | 1,289 78       | 1,394 71        | 2,684 49   |             |
| Monroe .....                    | 234 65         | 264 64          | 499 29     |             |
| Pierce .....                    | 577 07         | 648 11          | 1,225 18   |             |
| Richland .....                  | 33 22          | 38 66           | 71 88      |             |
| St. Croix .....                 | 54 00          | 59 85           | 113 85     |             |
| Trempealeau .....               | 703 93         | 759 28          | 1,463 21   |             |
|                                 | \$7,013 59     | \$3,435 94      |            | \$10,449 53 |
| <b>St. Croix County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                | \$1,476 86     |                 | \$1,476 86 |             |
| Ashland .....                   | 67 50          | \$69 10         | 136 60     |             |
| Barron .....                    | 66 42          | 67 50           | 133 92     |             |
| Bayfield .....                  | 47 14          | 48 24           | 95 38      |             |
| Buffalo .....                   | 33 21          | 38 00           | 71 21      |             |
| Burnett .....                   | 33 21          | 33 73           | 66 94      |             |
| Douglas .....                   | 426 21         | 471 95          | 898 16     |             |
| Ozaukee .....                   | 6 64           | 6 64            | 13 28      |             |
| Pepin .....                     | 33 21          | 33 21           | 66 42      |             |
| Pierce .....                    | 81 96          | 82 04           | 163 90     |             |
| Price .....                     | 17 14          | 18 94           | 36 08      |             |
| Polk .....                      | 33 21          | 35 31           | 68 52      |             |
| Portage .....                   | 85 71          | 91 92           | 177 63     |             |
| Sawyer .....                    | 66 42          | 70 84           | 137 26     |             |
| Taylor .....                    | 17 14          | 17 14           | 34 28      |             |
| State at large .....            | 297 70         |                 | 297 70     |             |
|                                 | \$2,789 58     | \$1,084 56      |            | \$3,874 14  |

*Statistical Tables.*BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY  
ASYLUMS — Continued.

|                                 | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.              |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| <b>Sheboygan County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |                     |
| Own insane .....                | \$6,402 43     |                 | \$3,402 43          |
| Calumet .....                   | 235 28         | \$271 54        | 506 82              |
| Marinette .....                 | 62 57          | 69 57           | 132 14              |
| Oconto .....                    | 50 14          | 57 59           | 108 03              |
| Ozaukee .....                   | 48 43          | 53 18           | 101 61              |
| Washington .....                | 530 28         | 670 98          | 1,251 26            |
|                                 | \$7,379 13     | \$1,123 16      | \$3,502 29          |
| <b>Vernon County Asylum:</b>    |                |                 |                     |
| Own insane .....                | \$3,775 29     |                 | \$3,775 29          |
| Buffalo .....                   | 28 93          | \$38 93         | 67 86               |
| Burnett .....                   | 156 43         | 182 43          | 338 86              |
| Crawford .....                  | 829 50         | 988 25          | 1,817 75            |
| Jackson .....                   | 156 43         | 182 43          | 338 86              |
| Juneau .....                    | 234 65         | 273 65          | 508 30              |
| Monroe .....                    | 1,553 36       | 1,835 61        | 3,408 97            |
| Pepin .....                     | 78 22          | 91 22           | 169 44              |
| Portage .....                   | 78 22          | 97 72           | 175 94              |
| Richland .....                  | 67 29          | 88 29           | 155 58              |
| Trempealeau .....               | 614 13         | 749 63          | 1,363 76            |
| Wood .....                      | 78 22          | 91 22           | 169 44              |
| State at large .....            | 4,498 67       |                 | 4,498 67            |
|                                 | \$12,147 31    | \$1,639 38      | \$16,786 72         |
| <b>Walworth County Asylum:</b>  |                |                 |                     |
| Own insane .....                | \$1,167 14     |                 | \$1,167 14          |
| Richland .....                  | 185 36         | \$266 61        | 452 00              |
| Waukesha .....                  | 1,302 43       | 1,436 31        | 2,738 74            |
|                                 | \$5,654 93     | \$1,702 95      | \$7,357 88          |
| <b>Winnebago County Asylum.</b> |                |                 |                     |
| Own insane .....                | \$7,410 85     |                 | \$7,410 85          |
| Ashland .....                   | 431 14         | \$197 89        | 939 03              |
| Bayfield .....                  | 312 86         | 365 06          | 677 92              |
| Clark .....                     | 78 21          | 98 54           | 176 77              |
| Calumet .....                   | 78 21          | 78 21           | 156 42              |
| Door .....                      | 156 43         | 203 28          | 359 71              |
| Douglas .....                   | 515 57         | 607 07          | 1,122 64            |
| Florence .....                  | 107 57         | 126 07          | 233 64              |
| Green Lake .....                | 527 57         | 633 17          | 1,160 74            |
| Iron .....                      | 156 43         | 187 48          | 343 91              |
| Kewaunee .....                  | 78 21          | 98 81           | 177 02              |
| Langlade .....                  | 73 21          | 91 76           | 169 97              |
| Lincoln .....                   | 185 78         | 221 78          | 407 56              |
| Marinette .....                 | 547 50         | 636 05          | 1,183 55            |
| Outagamie .....                 | 19 07          | 25 07           | 44 14               |
| Oconto .....                    | 391 07         | 461 97          | 853 04              |
| Oneida .....                    | 234 64         | 264 04          | 498 68              |
| Price .....                     | 185 14         | 213 14          | 398 28              |
| Portage .....                   | 193 71         | 227 21          | 420 92              |
| Shawano .....                   | 234 00         | 300 15          | 534 15              |
| Taylor .....                    | 341 57         | 404 67          | 746 24              |
| Washington .....                | 78 21          | 89 01           | 167 22              |
| Waupaca .....                   | 165 64         | 186 29          | 351 93              |
| Waushara .....                  | 362 36         | 418 41          | 780 77              |
| Wood .....                      | 165 00         | 189 05          | 354 05              |
| State at large .....            | 2,898 09       |                 | 2,898 09            |
|                                 | \$15,963 04    | \$6,624 20      | \$22,587 24         |
| <b>Total.....</b>               |                |                 | <b>\$316,649 29</b> |

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*Statistical Tables.*

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|---|----------------------------|
| Payment by the state to counties for their own insane .....                   | \$132,555 17               |
| Payment by the state to counties for insane from other counties .....         | 72,363 91                  |
| Payment by the state for state insane .....                                   | 29,277 10                  |
| Total paid by state .....   | <u>\$234,196 18</u>        |
| Special tax on counties for insane belonging to them kept by other counties . | 82,453 11                  |
| Total receipts by counties having asylums.....                                | <u><u>\$316,649 29</u></u> |

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|                                     | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Totals.     |              |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|
| <b>Brown County Asylum:</b>         |                |                 |             |              |
| Own insane .....                    | \$6,705 85     | .....           | \$6,705 85  | .....        |
| Kewaunee .....                      | 24 42          | \$27 77         | 52 19       | .....        |
| Marinette .....                     | 184 71         | 218 91          | 403 62      | .....        |
| Oconto .....                        | 891 85         | 1,083 60        | 1,985 45    | .....        |
|                                     | \$7,806 83     | \$1,340 28      | .....       | \$9,147 11.  |
| <b>Chippewa County Asylum:</b>      |                |                 |             |              |
| Own insane .....                    | \$3,807 64     | .....           | \$3,807 64  | .....        |
| Ashland .....                       | 24 64          | \$24 64         | 49 28       | .....        |
| Barron .....                        | 547 50         | 592 55          | 1,140 05    | .....        |
| Burnett .....                       | 74 79          | 78 79           | 153 58      | .....        |
| Clark .....                         | 198 00         | 212 45          | 410 45      | .....        |
| Eau Claire .....                    | 3,284 82       | 3,603 82        | 6,888 64    | .....        |
| Pepin .....                         | 78 21          | 90 16           | 168 37      | .....        |
| Price .....                         | 61 50          | 67 10           | 128 60      | .....        |
| Sawyer .....                        | 78 21          | 91 31           | 169 52      | .....        |
| Taylor .....                        | 78 21          | 89 51           | 167 72      | .....        |
| Wood .....                          | 61 50          | 71 50           | 133 00      | .....        |
|                                     | \$3,295 02     | \$4,921 83      | .....       | \$13,216 85. |
| <b>Columbia County Asylum .....</b> |                |                 |             |              |
| Own insane .....                    | \$4,975 50     | .....           | \$4,975 50  | .....        |
| Adams .....                         | 78 21          | \$105 94        | 184 15      | .....        |
| Green Lake .....                    | 46 28          | 60 15           | 106 43      | .....        |
| Jackson .....                       | 78 21          | 94 37           | 172 58      | .....        |
| Juneau .....                        | 126 85         | 135 58          | 262 43      | .....        |
| Marquette .....                     | 187 50         | 221 21          | 408 71      | .....        |
| Portage .....                       | 194 35         | 240 13          | 434 48      | .....        |
| State at large .....                | 4,041 54       | .....           | 4,041 54    | .....        |
|                                     | \$9,731 44     | \$237 38        | .....       | \$10,588 82. |
| <b>Dane County Asylum:</b>          |                |                 |             |              |
| Own insane .....                    | \$10,882 03    | .....           | \$10,882 03 | .....        |
| Pierce .....                        | 212 78         | \$267 26        | 480 04      | .....        |
| State at large .....                | 1,437 31       | .....           | 1,437 31    | .....        |
|                                     | \$12,532 12    | \$267 26        | .....       | \$12,799 38. |
| <b>Dodge County Asylum:</b>         |                |                 |             |              |
| Own insane .....                    | \$6,386 14     | .....           | \$6,386 14  | .....        |
| Green Lake .....                    | 37 07          | \$37 07         | 74 14       | .....        |
| Lincoln .....                       | 234 64         | 272 49          | 507 13      | .....        |
| Oconto .....                        | 700 71         | 812 46          | 1,513 17    | .....        |
| Shawano .....                       | 156 42         | 179 47          | 335 89      | .....        |
| Washington .....                    | 1,513 92       | 1,747 07        | 3,260 99    | .....        |
| State at large .....                | 671 65         | .....           | 671 65      | .....        |
|                                     | \$9,700 65     | \$3,048 56      | .....       | \$12,749 11. |
| <b>Dunn County Asylum:</b>          |                |                 |             |              |
| Own insane .....                    | \$3,357 00     | .....           | \$3,357 00  | .....        |
| Barron .....                        | 547 50         | \$540 45        | 1,127 95    | .....        |
| Burnett .....                       | 156 42         | 167 27          | 323 69      | .....        |
| Douglas .....                       | 181 07         | 192 32          | 373 39      | .....        |
| Eau Claire .....                    | 607 50         | 675 60          | 1,283 10    | .....        |
| Jackson .....                       | 102 86         | 114 36          | 217 22      | .....        |
| Pepin .....                         | 469 29         | 507 84          | 977 13      | .....        |
| Pierce .....                        | 703 92         | 764 17          | 1,468 09    | .....        |

*Statistical Tables:***BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY  
ASYLUMS—Continued.**

|  | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.     |             |
|--|----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>Dunn County Asylum — Continued:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Price .....                            | \$156 42       | \$170 77        | \$327 19   |             |
| Polk .....                             | 465 64         | 496 59          | 962 23     |             |
| Portage .....                          | 286 28         | 306 03          | 592 31     |             |
| Taylor .....                           | 391 07         | 425 97          | 817 04     |             |
| Waupaca .....                          | 179 14         | 192 14          | 371 28     |             |
| Washburn .....                         | 78 21          | 88 46           | 166 67     |             |
| State at large .....                   | 1,146 05       |                 | 1,146 05   |             |
|  | \$3,828 37     | \$1,681 97      |            | \$13,510 34 |
| <b>Fond du Lac County Asylum:</b>      |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                       | \$6,893 78     |                 | \$6,893 78 |             |
| Douglas .....                          | 78 21          | \$90 21         | 168 42     |             |
| Green Lake .....                       | 1,156 28       | 1,319 68        | 2,475 96   |             |
| Marinette .....                        | 400 93         | 482 68          | 883 61     |             |
| Marquette .....                        | 469 29         | 580 94          | 1,050 23   |             |
| Price .....                            | 234 64         | 296 14          | 530 78     |             |
| Portage .....                          | 156 43         | 188 93          | 345 36     |             |
| Washington .....                       | 102 86         | 110 36          | 213 22     |             |
| Waupaca .....                          | 78 21          | 78 21           | 156 42     |             |
| State at large .....                   | 356 36         |                 | 356 36     |             |
|  | \$9,926 99     | \$3,147 15      |            | \$13,074 14 |
| <b>Grant County Asylum:</b>            |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                       | \$6,274 94     |                 | \$6,274 94 |             |
| Barron .....                           | 78 21          | \$94 86         | 172 27     |             |
| Crawford .....                         | 1,251 42       | 1,497 60        | 2,749 03   |             |
| Lafayette .....                        | 234 64         | 280 59          | 515 23     |             |
| State at large .....                   | 357 33         |                 | 357 33     |             |
|  | \$8,196 55     | \$1,872 25      |            | \$10,068 80 |
| <b>Green County Asylum:</b>            |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                       | \$3,840 43     |                 | \$3,840 43 |             |
| Buffalo .....                          | 234 64         | \$288 54        | 523 18     |             |
| Douglas .....                          | 16 50          | 16 50           | 33 00      |             |
| Jackson .....                          | 312 86         | 369 66          | 682 52     |             |
| Juneau .....                           | 511 50         | 606 85          | 1,118 35   |             |
| Lafayette .....                        | 2,038 50       | 2,520 35        | 4,558 85   |             |
| Pierce .....                           | 8 57           | 8 57            | 17 14      |             |
| Polk .....                             | 312 86         | 390 11          | 702 97     |             |
|  | \$7,275 86     | \$4,200 58      |            | \$11,476 44 |
| <b>Iowa County Asylum:</b>             |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane .....                       | \$3,921 36     |                 | \$3,921 36 |             |
| Ashland .....                          | 24 86          | 27 11           | 51 97      |             |
| Buffalo .....                          | 78 21          | 99 76           | 177 97     |             |
| Crawford .....                         | 10 29          | 10 29           | 20 58      |             |
| Iron .....                             | 31 50          | 34 45           | 65 95      |             |
| Jackson .....                          | 206 79         | 247 39          | 454 68     |             |
| Lafayette .....                        | 25 71          | 25 71           | 51 42      |             |
| Oconto .....                           | 24 86          | 33 86           | 58 72      |             |
| Ozaukee .....                          | 24 86          | 32 36           | 57 22      |             |
| Pepin .....                            | 10 29          | 10 29           | 20 58      |             |
| Pierce .....                           | 250 07         | 278 52          | 528 59     |             |
| Polk .....                             | 775 29         | 935 49          | 1,710 78   |             |
| Trempealeau .....                      | 93 64          | 104 59          | 198 23     |             |
| Waukesha .....                         | 1,739 79       | 1,946 64        | 3,686 43   |             |
| State at large .....                   | 869 52         |                 | 869 52     |             |
|  | \$7,618 88     | \$4,255 12      |            | \$11,874 00 |

*Statistical Tables.*BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY  
ASYLUMS — Continued.

|                                 | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.     |             |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>Jefferson County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                 | \$7,162 50     |                 | \$7,162 50 |             |
| Burnett.....                    | 547 50         | \$678 75        | 1,226 25   |             |
| Juneau.....                     | 1,544 92       | 1,295 27        | 2,840 19   |             |
| Waushara.....                   | 25 07          | 29 87           | 54 94      |             |
| Waukesha.....                   | 139 92         | 146 22          | 286 14     |             |
| State at large.....             | 1,910 77       |                 | 1,910 77   |             |
|                                 | \$10,840 68    | \$2,150 11      |            | \$12,990 79 |
| <b>La Crosse County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                 | \$5,898 00     |                 | \$5,898 00 |             |
| Brown.....                      | 156 43         | \$173 23        | 329 66     |             |
| Bayfield.....                   | 24 43          | 29 23           | 53 66      |             |
| Buffalo.....                    | 1,032 00       | 1,099 80        | 2,131 80   |             |
| Clark.....                      | 547 50         | 589 75          | 1,137 25   |             |
| Jackson.....                    | 391 07         | 435 07          | 826 14     |             |
| Juneau.....                     | 38 36          | 39 46           | 77 82      |             |
| Monroe.....                     | 78 21          | 95 71           | 173 92     |             |
| Trempealeau.....                | 672 43         | 754 43          | 1,426 86   |             |
| State at large.....             | 1,899 75       |                 | 1,899 75   |             |
|                                 | \$10,738 18    | \$3,216 68      |            | \$13,954 86 |
| <b>Manitowoc County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                 | \$3,554 79     |                 | \$3,554 79 |             |
| Ashland.....                    | 78 21          | \$90 91         | 169 12     |             |
| Bayfield.....                   | 45 21          | 47 31           | 92 52      |             |
| Calumet.....                    | 422 57         | 477 98          | 900 55     |             |
| Door.....                       | 558 43         | 661 21          | 1,219 64   |             |
| Iron.....                       | 78 21          | 88 76           | 166 97     |             |
| Kewaunee.....                   | 634 07         | 729 89          | 1,363 96   |             |
| Marquette.....                  | 191 14         | 229 42          | 420 56     |             |
| Ozaukee.....                    | 2,128 50       | 2,453 07        | 4,581 57   |             |
| Oconto.....                     | 340 50         | 402 95          | 743 45     |             |
| Portage.....                    | 75 43          | 75 43           | 150 86     |             |
| Shawano.....                    | 75 43          | 84 38           | 159 81     |             |
| Vilas.....                      | 74 14          | 82 49           | 156 63     |             |
| Washington.....                 | 365 36         | 440 84          | 806 20     |             |
| Waupaca.....                    | 553 50         | 651 43          | 1,204 93   |             |
| Waushara.....                   | 150 86         | 166 57          | 317 43     |             |
| State at large.....             | 5,405 92       |                 | 5,405 92   |             |
|                                 | \$14,732 27    | \$6,682 64      |            | \$21,414 91 |
| <b>Marathon County Asylum:</b>  |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                 | \$3,023 13     |                 | \$3,023 13 |             |
| Ashland.....                    | 967 07         | \$1,122 15      | 2,089 22   |             |
| Barron.....                     | 234 64         | 277 39          | 512 03     |             |
| Bayfield.....                   | 156 43         | 174 59          | 331 02     |             |
| Buffalo.....                    | 78 21          | 87 45           | 165 66     |             |
| Clark.....                      | 719 14         | 744 27          | 1,463 41   |             |
| Calumet.....                    | 78 21          | 185 92          | 264 13     |             |
| Florence.....                   | 156 43         | 178 86          | 335 29     |             |
| Iron.....                       | 391 07         | 435 61          | 826 68     |             |
| Jackson.....                    | 312 86         | 363 18          | 676 04     |             |
| Langlade.....                   | 234 64         | 255 40          | 490 04     |             |
| Lincoln.....                    | 813 64         | 932 52          | 1,746 16   |             |
| Marquette.....                  | 234 64         | 265 84          | 500 48     |             |
| Oconto.....                     | 234 64         | 277 74          | 512 38     |             |
| Oneida.....                     | 255 64         | 292 44          | 548 08     |             |
| Portage.....                    | 1,297 07       | 1,444 35        | 2,741 42   |             |
| Polk.....                       | 143 36         | 180 11          | 323 47     |             |
| Sawyer.....                     | 156 43         | 181 13          | 337 56     |             |
| Shawano.....                    | 703 93         | 84 30           | 1,518 23   |             |

*Statistical Tables.***BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY ASYLUMS—Continued.**

|  | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.      |             |
|--|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>Marathon County Asylum—Continued.</b> |                |                 |             |             |
| Trempealeau.....                         | \$234 64       | \$274 74        | \$509 38    | .....       |
| Vilas.....                               | 75 21          | 92 76           | 170 97      | .....       |
| Waupaca.....                             | 938 57         | 1,064 79        | 2,003 36    | .....       |
| Waushara.....                            | 156 43         | 173 56          | 329 99      | .....       |
| Wood.....                                | 1,003 93       | 1,146 63        | 2,150 56    | .....       |
| State at large.....                      | 22 71          |                 | 22 71       | .....       |
|  | \$12,625 67    | \$10,965 73     |             | \$23,591 40 |
| <b>Milwaukee County Asylum:</b>          |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                          | \$11,712 21    |                 | \$11,712 21 | .....       |
|  |                |                 |             | \$11,712 21 |
| <b>Outagamie County Asylum:</b>          |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                          | \$4,931 35     |                 | \$4,931 35  | .....       |
| Calumet.....                             | 1,038 42       | \$1,224 77      | 2,263 19    | .....       |
| Door.....                                | 625 71         | 732 56          | 1,358 27    | .....       |
| Forest.....                              | 60 64          | 64 49           | 125 13      | .....       |
| Kewaunee.....                            | 703 92         | 794 97          | 1,498 89    | .....       |
| Langlade.....                            | 73 21          | 84 96           | 163 17      | .....       |
| Marinette.....                           | 138 85         | 161 05          | 299 90      | .....       |
| Oconto.....                              | 529 92         | 610 72          | 1,140 64    | .....       |
| Portage.....                             | 34 92          | 54 67           | 89 59       | .....       |
| Waukesha.....                            | 391 06         | 444 91          | 835 97      | .....       |
| Waupaca.....                             | 1,282 92       | 1,508 37        | 2,790 99    | .....       |
| Wood.....                                | 73 21          | 88 01           | 166 22      | .....       |
| State at large.....                      | 336 74         |                 | 336 74      | .....       |
|  | \$10,230 87    | \$5,769 18      |             | \$16,000 05 |
| <b>Racine County Asylum:</b>             |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                          | \$6,338 14     |                 | \$6,338 14  | .....       |
| Kenosha.....                             | 2,060 79       | \$2,307 94      | 4,398 73    | .....       |
| State at large.....                      | 837 54         |                 | 837 54      | .....       |
|  | \$9,266 47     | \$2,307 94      |             | \$11,574 41 |
| <b>Rock County Asylum:</b>               |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                          | \$7,727 36     |                 | \$7,727 36  | .....       |
| Buffalo.....                             | 73 21          | \$103 21        | 181 42      | .....       |
| Crawford.....                            | 329 78         | 375 84          | 705 72      | .....       |
| Jackson.....                             | 156 42         | 167 80          | 324 32      | .....       |
| Jefferson.....                           | 6 00           | 6 00            | 12 00       | .....       |
| Lafayette.....                           | 528 00         | 601 21          | 1,129 21    | .....       |
| Marinette.....                           | 469 28         | 528 84          | 998 22      | .....       |
| Marquette.....                           | 517 58         | 632 38          | 1,179 96    | .....       |
| Pepin.....                               | 218 57         | 251 79          | 470 36      | .....       |
| Sawyer.....                              | 78 21          | 88 14           | 166 35      | .....       |
| Washburn.....                            | 78 21          | 85 59           | 163 80      | .....       |
| Waukesha.....                            | 234 64         | 268 80          | 503 44      | .....       |
| State at large.....                      | 1,531 27       |                 | 1,531 27    | .....       |
|  | \$11,983 45    | \$3,109 90      |             | \$15,093 35 |
| <b>Richland County Asylum:</b>           |                |                 |             |             |
| Own insane.....                          | \$2,724 42     |                 | \$2,724 42  | .....       |
| Adams.....                               | 234 64         | \$273 73        | 508 37      | .....       |
| Crawford.....                            | 709 05         | 827 23          | 1,536 28    | .....       |
| Juneau.....                              | 9 00           | 10 50           | 19 50       | .....       |
| Lafayette.....                           | 205 93         | 240 24          | 446 17      | .....       |
| Marquette.....                           | 91 07          | 108 24          | 199 31      | .....       |
| Pierce.....                              | 22 28          | 26 00           | 48 28       | .....       |
| Waushara.....                            | 391 03         | 456 23          | 847 31      | .....       |

*Statistical Tables.*

**BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY  
ASYLUMS — Continued.**

|  | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.     |             |
|--|----------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>Richland County Asylum — Continued:</b> |                |                 |            |             |
| Wood.....                                  | \$63 85        | \$74 49         | 138 34     | .....       |
| State at large.....                        | 6,854 08       | .....           | 6,854 08   | .....       |
|  | \$11,305 40    | \$2,014 66      | .....      | \$13,320 06 |
| <b>Sauk County Asylum:</b>                 |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                            | \$4,124 58     | .....           | \$4,124 58 | .....       |
| Adams.....                                 | 133 71         | \$150 66        | 284 37     | .....       |
| Burnett.....                               | 78 21          | 83 51           | 161 72     | .....       |
| Juneau.....                                | 1,236 85       | 1,348 00        | 2,584 85   | .....       |
| Monroe.....                                | 234 64         | 255 27          | 489 91     | .....       |
| Pierce.....                                | 539 14         | 573 24          | 1,112 38   | .....       |
| Taylor.....                                | 24 21          | 24 71           | 48 92      | .....       |
| Trempealeau.....                           | 703 98         | 750 43          | 1,454 36   | .....       |
| Vilas.....                                 | 24 21          | 26 46           | 50 67      | .....       |
|  | \$7,099 48     | \$3,212 28      | .....      | \$10,311 76 |
| <b>St. Croix County Asylum</b>             |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                            | \$3,957 64     | .....           | \$3,957 64 | .....       |
| Ashland.....                               | 234 64         | \$258 35        | 492 99     | .....       |
| Barron.....                                | 299 15         | 318 95          | 618 10     | .....       |
| Bayfield.....                              | 156 43         | 167 04          | 323 47     | .....       |
| Buffalo.....                               | 78 21          | 83 77           | 161 98     | .....       |
| Burnett.....                               | 200 79         | 211 89          | 412 68     | .....       |
| Douglas.....                               | 1,594 52       | 1,755 53        | 3,350 05   | .....       |
| Eau Claire.....                            | 30 43          | 33 18           | 63 61      | .....       |
| Pepin.....                                 | 78 21          | 80 07           | 158 28     | .....       |
| Pierce.....                                | 191 14         | 212 96          | 404 10     | .....       |
| Price.....                                 | 66 86          | 81 99           | 148 85     | .....       |
| Polk.....                                  | 307 51         | 320 77          | 628 28     | .....       |
| Portage.....                               | 388 07         | 421 29          | 809 36     | .....       |
| Taylor.....                                | 78 21          | 83 37           | 161 58     | .....       |
| Sawyer.....                                | 162 86         | 177 19          | 340 05     | .....       |
| Washburn.....                              | 6 43           | 6 93            | 13 36      | .....       |
| State at large.....                        | 1,485 81       | .....           | 1,485 81   | .....       |
|  | \$9,316 91     | \$4,213 28      | .....      | \$13,530 19 |
| <b>Sheboygan County Asylum:</b>            |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                            | \$6,495 43     | .....           | \$6,495 43 | .....       |
| Calumet.....                               | 249 21         | \$288 46        | 537 67     | .....       |
| Marinette.....                             | 123 64         | 142 89          | 266 53     | .....       |
| Ozaukee.....                               | 294 46         | 126 04          | 420 50     | .....       |
| Oconto.....                                | 78 21          | 90 71           | 168 92     | .....       |
| Washington.....                            | 616 92         | 719 42          | 1,336 34   | .....       |
|  | \$7,657 87     | \$1,367 52      | .....      | \$9,225 39  |
| <b>Vernon County Asylum:</b>               |                |                 |            |             |
| Own insane.....                            | \$4,062 87     | .....           | \$4,062 87 | .....       |
| Burnett.....                               | 180 07         | \$190 32        | 350 39     | .....       |
| Crawford.....                              | 153 57         | 206 07          | 364 64     | .....       |
| Eau Claire.....                            | 10 92          | 25 99           | 36 91      | .....       |
| Juneau.....                                | 234 65         | 278 85          | 513 50     | .....       |
| Jackson.....                               | 343 50         | 406 00          | 749 50     | .....       |
| Monroe.....                                | 1,950 00       | 2,329 00        | 4,279 00   | .....       |
| Pepin.....                                 | 78 22          | 91 22           | 169 44     | .....       |
| Portage.....                               | 78 22          | 99 72           | 177 94     | .....       |
| Trempealeau.....                           | 723 22         | 871 17          | 1,594 39   | .....       |
| Wood.....                                  | 78 22          | 91 22           | 169 44     | .....       |
| State at large.....                        | 3,581 84       | .....           | 3,581 84   | .....       |
|  | \$11,460 30    | \$4,589 56      | .....      | \$16,049 86 |



*Statistical Tables.***BILLS FOR THE CARE OF CHRONIC INSANE IN COUNTY  
ASYLUMS — Continued.**

|                                 | From<br>state. | From<br>county. | Total.     |                     |
|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|---------------------|
| <b>Walworth County Asylum:</b>  |                |                 |            |                     |
| Own insane .....                | \$4,081 50     |                 | \$4,081 50 |                     |
| Waukesha .....                  | 1,881 88       | \$2,023 76      | 3,905 62   |                     |
|                                 | \$5,963 36     | \$2,023 76      |            | \$7,987 12          |
| <b>Winnebago County Asylum:</b> |                |                 |            |                     |
| Own insane .....                | \$7,788 02     |                 | \$7,788 02 |                     |
| Ashland .....                   | 356 79         | \$407 09        | 763 88     |                     |
| Bayfield .....                  | 312 86         | 355 29          | 668 15     |                     |
| Clark .....                     | 78 21          | 85 36           | 163 57     |                     |
| Calumet .....                   | 78 21          | 78 21           | 156 42     |                     |
| Douglas .....                   | 507 86         | 552 66          | 1,060 52   |                     |
| Door .....                      | 116 79         | 161 19          | 277 98     |                     |
| Florence .....                  | 156 43         | 174 23          | 330 66     |                     |
| Green Lake .....                | 514 71         | 588 41          | 1,103 12   |                     |
| Iron .....                      | 156 43         | 173 68          | 330 09     |                     |
| Kewaunee .....                  | 78 21          | 85 26           | 163 47     |                     |
| Lincoln .....                   | 166 93         | 204 23          | 371 16     |                     |
| Langlade .....                  | 78 21          | 86 51           | 164 72     |                     |
| Marinette .....                 | 475 07         | 551 15          | 1,026 22   |                     |
| Oconto .....                    | 391 07         | 435 37          | 826 44     |                     |
| Onesida .....                   | 234 64         | 263 44          | 498 08     |                     |
| Price .....                     | 234 64         | 263 64          | 500 28     |                     |
| Portage .....                   | 366 00         | 414 20          | 780 20     |                     |
| Shawano .....                   | 312 86         | 339 86          | 652 72     |                     |
| Taylor .....                    | 391 07         | 444 42          | 835 49     |                     |
| Washington .....                | 78 21          | 79 84           | 158 05     |                     |
| Waupaca .....                   | 312 86         | 341 01          | 653 87     |                     |
| Waushara .....                  | 469 29         | 518 57          | 987 86     |                     |
| Wood .....                      | 312 86         | 334 06          | 646 92     |                     |
| State at large .....            | 1,907 02       |                 | 1,907 02   |                     |
|                                 | \$15,275 25    | \$6,936 66      |            | 22,211 91           |
| <b>Grand total .....</b>        |                |                 |            | <b>\$337,473 26</b> |

|   |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| Payment by the state to counties for their own insane .....                       | \$140,626 61        |
| Payment by the state to counties for insane from other counties .....             | 75,641 16           |
| Payment by the state for the state insane .....                                   | 34,053 21           |
| <b>Total paid by the state .....</b>  | <b>\$250,320 98</b> |
| Special tax on counties for insane belonging to them kept by other counties ..... | 87,152 28           |
| <b>Total receipts by counties having asylums .....</b>                            | <b>\$337,473 26</b> |

*Statistical Tables.*

**DIVISIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS TO COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR  
THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1897.**

| Counties from which<br>transferred. | Counties to be paid<br>for care. | From state. | Special tax<br>on counties<br>from which<br>transferred. | Total.   |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|--|----------|
| Adams .....                         | Columbia .....                   | \$78 21     | \$103 03   | \$181 24 |
| Adams .....                         | Richland .....                   | 158 14      | 183 97   | 342 11   |
| Adams .....                         | Sauk .....                       | 156 43      | 186 88   | 343 31   |
| Ashland .....                       | Marathon .....                   | 907 71      | 1,049 12   | 1,956 83 |
| Ashland .....                       | Manitowoc .....                  | 54 22       | 61 66  | 118 88   |
| Ashland .....                       | St. Croix .....                  | 67 50       | 39 10  | 136 60   |
| Ashland .....                       | Winnebago .....                  | 431 14      | 497 89   | 929 03   |
| Barron .....                        | Chippewa .....                   | 547 50      | 590 61   | 1,138 11 |
| Barron .....                        | Dunn .....                       | 547 50      | 577 40   | 1,124 90 |
| Barron .....                        | Grant .....                      | 78 21       | 93 96  | 172 17   |
| Barron .....                        | La Crosse .....                  | 156 43      | 168 93   | 3 5 36   |
| Barron .....                        | Marathon .....                   | 234 64      | 270 80   | 505 44   |
| Barron .....                        | St. Croix .....                  | 6 42        | 67 50  | 133 92   |
| Bayfield .....                      | Marathon .....                   | 156 43      | 187 48   | 343 91   |
| Bayfield .....                      | St. Croix .....                  | 47 14       | 43 24  | 95 38    |
| Bayfield .....                      | Winnebago .....                  | 312 86      | 365 06   | 677 92   |
| Buffalo .....                       | Green .....                      | 243 00      | 302 50   | 545 50   |
| Buffalo .....                       | Iowa .....                       | 86 36       | 127 71   | 214 07   |
| Buffalo .....                       | La Crosse .....                  | 1,016 79    | 1,059 44   | 2,076 23 |
| Buffalo .....                       | Marathon .....                   | 121 71      | 139 41   | 261 12   |
| Buffalo .....                       | Rock .....                       | 78 21       | 98 96  | 177 17   |
| Buffalo .....                       | St. Croix .....                  | 33 21       | 38 00  | 71 21    |
| Buffalo .....                       | Vernon .....                     | 28 93       | 38 93  | 67 86    |
| Burnett .....                       | Chippewa .....                   | 78 21       | 84 67  | 162 88   |
| Burnett .....                       | Dunn .....                       | 156 42      | 162 92   | 322 34   |
| Burnett .....                       | Jefferson .....                  | 547 50      | 663 23   | 1,215 73 |
| Burnett .....                       | Sauk .....                       | 78 22       | 83 81  | 162 03   |
| Burnett .....                       | St. Croix .....                  | 33 21       | 33 73  | 66 94    |
| Burnett .....                       | Vernon .....                     | 156 43      | 182 43   | 338 86   |
| Calumet .....                       | Manitowoc .....                  | 391 08      | 466 03   | 857 16   |
| Calumet .....                       | Outagamie .....                  | 1,081 83    | 1,271 10   | 2,353 03 |
| Calumet .....                       | Sheboygan .....                  | 235 24      | 271 54   | 506 82   |
| Calumet .....                       | Winnebago .....                  | 78 21       | 78 21  | 156 42   |
| Clark .....                         | La Crosse .....                  | 547 50      | 594 35   | 1,141 85 |
| Clark .....                         | Marathon .....                   | 1,424 84    | 813 20   | 2,237 04 |
| Clark .....                         | Winnebago .....                  | 78 21       | 98 56  | 176 77   |
| Crawford .....                      | Grant .....                      | 1,383 64    | 1,637 59   | 3,021 23 |
| Crawford .....                      | Richland .....                   | 43 42       | 52 99  | 96 41    |
| Crawford .....                      | Rock .....                       | 532 92      | 587 40   | 1,120 32 |
| Crawford .....                      | Vernon .....                     | 829 50      | 938 25   | 1,817 75 |
| Door .....                          | Manitowoc .....                  | 564 22      | 672 41   | 1,236 63 |
| Door .....                          | Outagamie .....                  | 625 71      | 731 31   | 1,357 52 |
| Door .....                          | Winnebago .....                  | 156 43      | 203 28   | 359 71   |
| Douglas .....                       | Dunn .....                       | 156 42      | 185 57   | 321 99   |
| Douglas .....                       | Fond du Lac .....                | 78 21       | 89 47  | 167 68   |
| Douglas .....                       | Marathon .....                   | 478 50      | 591 00   | 1,069 50 |
| Douglas .....                       | St. Croix .....                  | 426 21      | 471 95   | 898 16   |
| Douglas .....                       | Winnebago .....                  | 515 57      | 607 07   | 1,122 64 |
| Eau Claire .....                    | Chippewa .....                   | 3,298 07    | 3,621 63   | 6,919 72 |
| Eau Claire .....                    | Dunn .....                       | 312 85      | 321 63   | 634 50   |
| Florence .....                      | Marathon .....                   | 156 43      | 178 43   | 332 86   |
| Florence .....                      | Winnebago .....                  | 107 57      | 126 07   | 233 64   |
| Green Lake .....                    | Fond du Lac .....                | 909 65      | 1,080 85   | 1,990 50 |
| Green Lake .....                    | Winnebago .....                  | 527 57      | 633 17   | 1,160 74 |
| Iron .....                          | Marathon .....                   | 391 07      | 443 58   | 834 65   |
| Iron .....                          | Manitowoc .....                  | 78 22       | 93 22  | 171 44   |
| Iron .....                          | Winnebago .....                  | 156 43      | 187 45   | 343 88   |
| Jackson .....                       | Columbia .....                   | 78 21       | 96 29  | 174 50   |
| Jackson .....                       | Dunn .....                       | 156 42      | 165 17   | 321 59   |
| Jackson .....                       | Green .....                      | 312 86      | 371 91   | 684 77   |

*Statistical Tables.*DIVISIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS TO COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR  
THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1897 — Continued.

| Counties from which transferred. | Counties to be paid for care. | From state. | Special tax on counties from which transferred. | Total.   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---|----------|
| Jackson.....                     | Iowa.....                     | \$234 64    | \$272 40  | \$507 04 |
| Jackson.....                     | La Crosse.....                | 391 07      | 439 87  | 830 94   |
| Jackson.....                     | Marathon.....                 | 312 86      | 369 86  | 682 72   |
| Jackson.....                     | Rock.....                     | 156 42      | 160 02  | 316 44   |
| Jackson.....                     | Vernon.....                   | 156 43      | 182 43  | 338 86   |
| Juneau.....                      | Green.....                    | 469 29      | 570 09  | 1,039 38 |
| Juneau.....                      | Jefferson.....                | 1,131 42    | 1,376 48  | 2,507 90 |
| Juneau.....                      | Sauk.....                     | 1,289 78    | 1,394 71  | 2,684 49 |
| Juneau.....                      | Vernon.....                   | 234 65      | 273 65  | 508 30   |
| Kewaunee.....                    | Manitowoc.....                | 564 43      | 672 81  | 1,237 24 |
| Kewaunee.....                    | Outagamie.....                | 703 92      | 799 62  | 1,503 54 |
| Kewaunee.....                    | Winnebago.....                | 78 21       | 98 81   | 177 02   |
| Keneshaw.....                    | Racine.....                   | 2,153 36    | 2,363 10  | 4,516 46 |
| Lafayette.....                   | Grant.....                    | 262 28      | 318 84  | 581 12   |
| Lafayette.....                   | Green.....                    | 2,243 14    | 2,726 39  | 4,969 53 |
| Lafayette.....                   | Richland.....                 | 74 55       | 86 97   | 161 52   |
| Lafayette.....                   | Rock.....                     | 615 42      | 704 40  | 1,319 82 |
| Langlade.....                    | Marathon.....                 | 234 64      | 253 80  | 488 44   |
| Langlade.....                    | Outagamie.....                | 78 21       | 79 96   | 158 17   |
| Langlade.....                    | Winnebago.....                | 78 21       | 91 76   | 169 97   |
| Lincoln.....                     | Dodge.....                    | 234 64      | 263 29  | 502 93   |
| Lincoln.....                     | Marathon.....                 | 712 50      | 814 35  | 1,526 85 |
| Lincoln.....                     | Winnebago.....                | 185 78      | 221 78  | 407 56   |
| Marinette.....                   | Brown.....                    | 298 92      | 367 82  | 666 74   |
| Marinette.....                   | Fond du Lac.....              | 469 29      | 550 04  | 1,019 33 |
| Marinette.....                   | Manitowoc.....                | 16 71       | 20 01   | 36 72    |
| Marinette.....                   | Outagamie.....                | 48 21       | 53 56   | 101 77   |
| Marinette.....                   | Rock.....                     | 469 28      | 504 13  | 973 41   |
| Marinette.....                   | Sheboygan.....                | 62 57       | 69 57   | 132 14   |
| Marinette.....                   | Winnebago.....                | 547 50      | 636 05  | 1,183 55 |
| Marquette.....                   | Columbia.....                 | 156 43      | 178 65  | 335 08   |
| Marquette.....                   | Fond du Lac.....              | 469 29      | 580 59  | 1,049 88 |
| Marquette.....                   | Marathon.....                 | 234 64      | 256 23  | 490 89   |
| Marquette.....                   | Richland.....                 | 16 92       | 19 74   | 36 66    |
| Marquette.....                   | Rock.....                     | 477 85      | 524 80  | 1,002 65 |
| Monroe.....                      | La Crosse.....                | 78 21       | 88 61   | 166 82   |
| Monroe.....                      | Sauk.....                     | 234 65      | 264 64  | 499 29   |
| Monroe.....                      | Vernon.....                   | 1,553 36    | 1,855 61  | 3,408 97 |
| Oconto.....                      | Brown.....                    | 887 13      | 1,088 80  | 1,975 93 |
| Oconto.....                      | Dodge.....                    | 703 92      | 806 67  | 1,510 59 |
| Oconto.....                      | Marathon.....                 | 234 64      | 271 70  | 506 34   |
| Oconto.....                      | Manitowoc.....                | 46 72       | 55 71   | 102 43   |
| Oconto.....                      | Outagamie.....                | 487 50      | 579 10  | 1,066 60 |
| Oconto.....                      | Sheboygan.....                | 50 14       | 57 89   | 108 03   |
| Oconto.....                      | Winnebago.....                | 361 07      | 461 87  | 822 94   |
| Oneida.....                      | Marathon.....                 | 173 36      | 203 06  | 376 42   |
| Oneida.....                      | Winnebago.....                | 234 64      | 264 04  | 498 68   |
| Outagamie.....                   | Winnebago.....                | 19 07       | 25 07   | 44 14    |
| Ozaukee.....                     | Manitowoc.....                | 2,162 57    | 2,577 34  | 4,739 91 |
| Ozaukee.....                     | St. Croix.....                | 6 64        | 6 64  | 13 28    |
| Ozaukee.....                     | Sheboygan.....                | 48 43       | 53 18   | 101 61   |
| Pepin.....                       | Chippewa.....                 | 52 29       | 58 79   | 111 08   |
| Pepin.....                       | Dunn.....                     | 469 28      | 494 63  | 964 11   |
| Pepin.....                       | Rock.....                     | 312 85      | 351 60  | 664 45   |
| Pepin.....                       | St. Croix.....                | 33 21       | 33 21   | 66 42    |
| Pepin.....                       | Vernon.....                   | 78 22       | 91 22   | 169 44   |
| Pierce.....                      | Dane.....                     | 234 64      | 269 85  | 504 59   |
| Pierce.....                      | Dunn.....                     | 727 28      | 771 03  | 1,498 31 |
| Pierce.....                      | Iowa.....                     | 234 64      | 257 80  | 492 44   |
| Pierce.....                      | Marathon.....                 | 55 71       | 70 72   | 126 43   |
| Pierce.....                      | Sauk.....                     | 577 07      | 648 11  | 1,225 18 |
| Pierce.....                      | St. Croix.....                | 81 86       | 82 04   | 163 90   |
| Polk.....                        | Dunn.....                     | 488 64      | 455 29  | 893 93   |

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| Counties from which transferred. | Counties to be paid for care. | From state. | Special tax on counties from which transferred. | Total.   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---|----------|
| Polk .....                       | Green .....                   | \$327 86    | \$418 71  | \$746 57 |
| Polk .....                       | Iowa .....                    | 858 43      | 992 68  | 1,851 11 |
| Polk .....                       | Marathon .....                | 248 36      | 283 11  | 531 47   |
| Polk .....                       | St. Croix .....               | 33 21       | 35 31   | 68 52    |
| Portage .....                    | Columbia .....                | 194 78      | 244 42  | 439 20   |
| Portage .....                    | Dunn .....                    | 234 64      | 249 84  | 484 48   |
| Portage .....                    | Fond du Lac .....             | 156 43      | 193 93  | 350 36   |
| Portage .....                    | Marathon .....                | 1,165 50    | 1,300 20  | 2,465 70 |
| Portage .....                    | St. Croix .....               | 85 71       | 91 92   | 177 63   |
| Portage .....                    | Vernon .....                  | 78 22       | 97 72   | 175 94   |
| Portage .....                    | Winnebago .....               | 193 71      | 227 21  | 420 92   |
| Price .....                      | Dunn .....                    | 156 42      | 164 67  | 321 09   |
| Price .....                      | Fond du Lac .....             | 234 64      | 295 15  | 529 79   |
| Price .....                      | St. Croix .....               | 17 14       | 18 94   | 36 08    |
| Price .....                      | Winnebago .....               | 185 14      | 213 14  | 398 28   |
| Richland .....                   | Grant .....                   | 358 28      | 542 19  | 900 47   |
| Richland .....                   | Iowa .....                    | 97 71       | 132 96  | 230 67   |
| Richland .....                   | Rock .....                    | 285 42      | 334 47  | 619 89   |
| Richland .....                   | Sauk .....                    | 33 22       | 38 66   | 71 88    |
| Richland .....                   | Vernon .....                  | 67 29       | 38 29   | 155 58   |
| Richland .....                   | Walworth .....                | 185 36      | 266 64  | 452 00   |
| St. Croix .....                  | Chippewa .....                | 492 69      | 549 59  | 1,042 28 |
| St. Croix .....                  | Dunn .....                    | 644 57      | 721 72  | 1,366 29 |
| St. Croix .....                  | Sauk .....                    | 54 00       | 59 85   | 113 85   |
| Sawyer .....                     | Chippewa .....                | 78 21       | 93 97   | 172 18   |
| Sawyer .....                     | Marathon .....                | 156 43      | 180 88  | 337 31   |
| Sawyer .....                     | Rock .....                    | 78 21       | 90 71   | 168 92   |
| Sawyer .....                     | St. Croix .....               | 66 42       | 70 84   | 137 26   |
| Shawano .....                    | Dodge .....                   | 156 42      | 179 12  | 335 54   |
| Shawano .....                    | Marathon .....                | 581 36      | 672 46  | 1,253 82 |
| Shawano .....                    | Outagamie .....               | 16 07       | 20 27   | 36 34    |
| Shawano .....                    | Winnebago .....               | 264 00      | 300 15  | 564 15   |
| Taylor .....                     | Chippewa .....                | 61 93       | 70 13   | 132 06   |
| Taylor .....                     | Dunn .....                    | 391 07      | 414 97  | 806 04   |
| Taylor .....                     | St. Croix .....               | 17 14       | 17 14   | 34 28    |
| Taylor .....                     | Winnebago .....               | 341 57      | 404 67  | 746 24   |
| Trempealeau .....                | Iowa .....                    | 78 21       | 92 07   | 170 28   |
| Trempealeau .....                | La Crosse .....               | 838 50      | 926 10  | 1,764 60 |
| Trempealeau .....                | Marathon .....                | 302 79      | 354 99  | 657 78   |
| Trempealeau .....                | Sauk .....                    | 703 93      | 759 28  | 1,463 21 |
| Trempealeau .....                | Vernon .....                  | 614 13      | 749 63  | 1,363 76 |
| Vilas .....                      | Marathon .....                | 16 93       | 21 83   | 38 76    |
| Washburn .....                   | Dunn .....                    | 78 21       | 83 46   | 161 67   |
| Washburn .....                   | Rock .....                    | 78 21       | 79 71   | 157 92   |
| Washington .....                 | Dodge .....                   | 1,564 28    | 1,776 23  | 3,340 51 |
| Washington .....                 | Manitowoc .....               | 157 50      | 187 50  | 345 00   |
| Washington .....                 | Sheboygan .....               | 580 28      | 670 98  | 1,251 26 |
| Washington .....                 | Winnebago .....               | 78 21       | 89 01   | 167 22   |
| Waukesha .....                   | Iowa .....                    | 1,996 50    | 2,248 35  | 4,244 85 |
| Waukesha .....                   | Jefferson .....               | 78 21       | 78 21   | 156 42   |
| Waukesha .....                   | Outagamie .....               | 462 00      | 542 20  | 1,004 20 |
| Waukesha .....                   | Rock .....                    | 234 64      | 261 64  | 496 28   |
| Waukesha .....                   | Walworth .....                | 1,302 43    | 1,436 31  | 2,738 74 |
| Waupaca .....                    | Dunn .....                    | 234 64      | 244 14  | 478 78   |
| Waupaca .....                    | Fond du Lac .....             | 78 21       | 84 47   | 162 68   |
| Waupaca .....                    | Marathon .....                | 938 57      | 1,065 33  | 2,003 90 |
| Waupaca .....                    | Manitowoc .....               | 391 08      | 466 08  | 857 16   |
| Waupaca .....                    | Outagamie .....               | 1,279 71    | 1,531 78  | 2,811 49 |
| Waupaca .....                    | Winnebago .....               | 165 64      | 186 29  | 351 93   |
| Waushara .....                   | Columbia .....                | 217 50      | 276 19  | 493 69   |
| Waushara .....                   | Marathon .....                | 156 43      | 164 28  | 320 71   |
| Waushara .....                   | Richland .....                | 195 00      | 224 10  | 419 10   |
| Waushara .....                   | Winnebago .....               | 362 36      | 418 41  | 780 77   |

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| Counties from which transferred. | Counties to be paid for care. | From state. | Special tax on counties from which transferred. | Total.       |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---|--------------|
| Wood .....                       | Marathon .....                | \$1 016 79  | \$1,182 54                                      | \$2,199 33   |
| Wood .....                       | Outagamie .....               | 78 21       | 86 11   | 164 32       |
| Wood .....                       | Vernon.....                   | 78 22       | 91 22   | 169 44       |
| Wood .....                       | Winnebago.....                | 165 00      | 189 05  | 354 05       |
| Totals.....                      | .....                         | \$72,363 91 | \$82,453 11                                     | \$154,817 02 |

*Statistical Tables.*

**DIVISIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS TO COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR  
THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1897.**

Part 2. (For their own insane and state at large.)

| Counties.        | For their<br>own insane. | For state<br>insane. | Total.       |
|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| Brown.....       | \$6,644 14               |                      | \$6,644 14   |
| Chippewa.....    | 3,766 93                 |                      | 3,766 93     |
| Columbia.....    | 4,409 14                 | \$4,112 85           | 8,521 99     |
| Dane.....        | 10,822 76                | 328 70               | 11,151 46    |
| Dodge.....       | 6,275 14                 | 670 01               | 6,945 15     |
| Dunn.....        | 3,294 00                 | 1,383 87             | 4,677 87     |
| Fond du Lac..... | 7,148 36                 | 358 56               | 7,506 72     |
| Grant.....       | 5,833 29                 | 355 65               | 6,188 94     |
| Green.....       | 3,865 71                 |                      | 3,865 71     |
| Iowa.....        | 3,939 21                 | 848 95               | 4,788 16     |
| Jefferson.....   | 6,975 42                 | 1,805 98             | 8,781 40     |
| La Crosse.....   | 5,829 64                 | 2,027 98             | 7,857 62     |
| Marathon.....    | 2,627 14                 | 409 56               | 3,036 70     |
| Manitowoc.....   | 3,616 29                 | 2,927 90             | 6,544 19     |
| Milwaukee.....   | 9,966 43                 |                      | 9,966 43     |
| Outagamie.....   | 4,429 93                 | 272 02               | 4,701 95     |
| Racine.....      | 6,350 14                 | 969 38               | 7,319 52     |
| Richland.....    | 1,654 50                 | 3,104 84             | 4,759 34     |
| Rock.....        | 7,988 14                 | 1,503 59             | 9,496 73     |
| Sauk.....        | 3,886 29                 |                      | 3,886 29     |
| St. Croix.....   | 1,476 86                 | 297 70               | 1,774 56     |
| Sheboygan.....   | 6,402 43                 |                      | 6,402 43     |
| Vernon.....      | 3,775 29                 | 4,496 67             | 8,271 96     |
| Walworth.....    | 4,167 14                 |                      | 4,167 14     |
| Winnebago.....   | 7,410 85                 | 2,898 09             | 10,308 94    |
| Totals.....      | \$132,555 17             | \$29,277 10          | \$161,832 27 |

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| Counties from which transferred. | Counties to be paid for care. | From state. | Special tax on counties from which transferred. | Total.   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---|----------|
| Adams.....                       | Columbia.....                 | \$78 21     | \$105 94  | \$184 15 |
| Adams.....                       | Richland.....                 | 234 64      | 273 73  | 508 37   |
| Adams.....                       | Sauk.....                     | 133 71      | 150 66  | 284 37   |
| Ashland.....                     | Chippewa.....                 | 24 64       | 24 64   | 49 28    |
| Ashland.....                     | Iowa.....                     | 24 86       | 27 11   | 51 97    |
| Ashland.....                     | Manitowoc.....                | 78 21       | 90 91   | 169 12   |
| Ashland.....                     | Marathon.....                 | 967 07      | 1,122 15  | 2,089 22 |
| Ashland.....                     | St. Croix.....                | 234 64      | 258 35  | 492 99   |
| Ashland.....                     | Winnebago.....                | 356 79      | 407 09  | 763 88   |
| Barron.....                      | Chippewa.....                 | 547 50      | 592 55  | 1,140 05 |
| Barron.....                      | Dunn.....                     | 547 50      | 580 45  | 1,127 95 |
| Barron.....                      | Grant.....                    | 78 21       | 94 06   | 172 27   |
| Barron.....                      | La Crosse.....                | 156 43      | 173 23  | 329 66   |
| Barron.....                      | Marathon.....                 | 234 64      | 277 39  | 512 03   |
| Barron.....                      | St. Croix.....                | 299 15      | 318 95  | 618 10   |
| Bayfield.....                    | La Crosse.....                | 24 43       | 29 23   | 53 66    |
| Bayfield.....                    | Manitowoc.....                | 45 21       | 47 31   | 92 52    |
| Bayfield.....                    | Marathon.....                 | 156 43      | 174 59  | 331 02   |
| Bayfield.....                    | St. Croix.....                | 156 43      | 167 04  | 323 47   |
| Bayfield.....                    | Winnebago.....                | 312 86      | 355 29  | 668 15   |
| Buffalo.....                     | Green.....                    | 234 64      | 288 54  | 523 18   |
| Buffalo.....                     | Iowa.....                     | 78 21       | 99 76   | 177 97   |
| Buffalo.....                     | La Crosse.....                | 1,082 00    | 1,099 80  | 2,181 80 |
| Buffalo.....                     | Marathon.....                 | 78 21       | 87 45   | 165 66   |
| Buffalo.....                     | Rock.....                     | 78 21       | 103 21  | 181 42   |
| Buffalo.....                     | St. Croix.....                | 78 21       | 83 77   | 161 98   |
| Burnett.....                     | Chippewa.....                 | 74 79       | 75 79   | 150 58   |
| Burnett.....                     | Dunn.....                     | 156 42      | 167 27  | 323 69   |
| Burnett.....                     | Jefferson.....                | 547 50      | 678 75  | 1,226 25 |
| Burnett.....                     | Sauk.....                     | 78 21       | 83 51   | 161 72   |
| Burnett.....                     | St. Croix.....                | 200 79      | 211 89  | 412 68   |
| Burnett.....                     | Vernon.....                   | 190 07      | 190 32  | 380 39   |
| Calumet.....                     | Manitowoc.....                | 422 57      | 477 98  | 900 55   |
| Calumet.....                     | Marathon.....                 | 78 21       | 185 92  | 264 13   |
| Calumet.....                     | Outagamie.....                | 1,038 42    | 1,224 77  | 2,263 19 |
| Calumet.....                     | Sheboygan.....                | 249 21      | 288 46  | 537 67   |
| Calumet.....                     | Winnebago.....                | 78 21       | 78 21   | 156 42   |
| Clark.....                       | Chippewa.....                 | 198 00      | 212 45  | 410 45   |
| Clark.....                       | La Crosse.....                | 547 50      | 589 75  | 1,137 25 |
| Clark.....                       | Marathon.....                 | 719 14      | 744 27  | 1,463 41 |
| Clark.....                       | Winnebago.....                | 78 21       | 85 36   | 163 57   |
| Crawford.....                    | Grant.....                    | 1,251 43    | 1,497 60  | 2,749 03 |
| Crawford.....                    | Iowa.....                     | 10 29       | 10 29   | 20 58    |
| Crawford.....                    | Rock.....                     | 329 78      | 375 94  | 705 72   |
| Crawford.....                    | Richland.....                 | 709 05      | 827 23  | 1,536 28 |
| Crawford.....                    | Vernon.....                   | 158 57      | 206 07  | 364 64   |
| Door.....                        | Manitowoc.....                | 558 43      | 661 21  | 1,219 64 |
| Door.....                        | Outagamie.....                | 625 71      | 732 56  | 1,358 27 |
| Door.....                        | Winnebago.....                | 116 79      | 161 19  | 277 98   |
| Douglas.....                     | Dunn.....                     | 181 07      | 192 32  | 373 39   |
| Douglas.....                     | Fond du Lac.....              | 78 21       | 90 21   | 168 42   |
| Douglas.....                     | Green.....                    | 16 50       | 16 50   | 33 00    |
| Douglas.....                     | St. Croix.....                | 1,594 52    | 1,755 53  | 3,350 05 |
| Douglas.....                     | Winnebago.....                | 507 86      | 552 66  | 1,060 52 |
| Eau Claire.....                  | Chippewa.....                 | 3,284 82    | 3,603 82  | 6,888 64 |
| Eau Claire.....                  | Dunn.....                     | 607 50      | 675 60  | 1,283 10 |
| Eau Claire.....                  | St. Croix.....                | 30 43       | 33 18   | 63 61    |
| Eau Claire.....                  | Vernon.....                   | 10 92       | 25 99   | 36 91    |
| Florence.....                    | Marathon.....                 | 156 43      | 178 86  | 335 29   |
| Florence.....                    | Winnebago.....                | 156 43      | 174 23  | 330 66   |
| Forest.....                      | Outagamie.....                | 60 64       | 64 49   | 125 13   |
| Green Lake.....                  | Columbia.....                 | 49 28       | 60 15   | 109 43   |
| Green Lake.....                  | Dodge.....                    | 37 07       | 37 07   | 74 14    |

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---|------------|
| Green Lake.....                  | Fond du Lac.....              | \$1,156 28  | \$1,319 68                                      | \$2,475 96 |
| Green Lake.....                  | Winnebago.....                | 514 71      | 585 41  | 1,100 12   |
| Iron.....                        | Iowa.....                     | 31 50       | 34 45   | 65 95      |
| Iron.....                        | Manitowoc.....                | 78 21       | 88 76   | 166 97     |
| Iron.....                        | Marathon.....                 | 391 07      | 435 61  | 826 68     |
| Iron.....                        | Winnebago.....                | 156 43      | 173 66  | 330 09     |
| Jackson.....                     | Columbia.....                 | 78 21       | 94 37   | 172 58     |
| Jackson.....                     | Dunn.....                     | 102 86      | 114 36  | 217 22     |
| Jackson.....                     | Green.....                    | 312 86      | 369 66  | 682 52     |
| Jackson.....                     | Iowa.....                     | 206 79      | 247 89  | 454 68     |
| Jackson.....                     | La Crosse.....                | 391 07      | 435 07  | 826 14     |
| Jackson.....                     | Marathon.....                 | 312 86      | 363 18  | 676 04     |
| Jackson.....                     | Rock.....                     | 156 42      | 187 90  | 324 32     |
| Jackson.....                     | Vernon.....                   | 343 50      | 406 00  | 749 50     |
| Jefferson.....                   | Rock.....                     | 6 00        | 6 00  | 12 00      |
| Juneau.....                      | Columbia.....                 | 126 55      | 135 58  | 262 43     |
| Juneau.....                      | Green.....                    | 511 50      | 606 85  | 1,118 35   |
| Juneau.....                      | Jefferson.....                | 1,054 92    | 1,295 27  | 2,350 19   |
| Juneau.....                      | La Crosse.....                | 38 36       | 39 46   | 77 82      |
| Juneau.....                      | Richland.....                 | 9 00        | 10 50   | 19 50      |
| Juneau.....                      | Sauk.....                     | 1,236 85    | 1,348 00  | 2,584 85   |
| Juneau.....                      | Vernon.....                   | 234 65      | 278 85  | 513 50     |
| Kenosha.....                     | Racine.....                   | 2,090 79    | 2,307 94  | 4,398 73   |
| Kewaunee.....                    | Brown.....                    | 24 42       | 27 77   | 52 19      |
| Kewaunee.....                    | Manitowoc.....                | 634 07      | 729 89  | 1,363 96   |
| Kewaunee.....                    | Outagamie.....                | 703 92      | 794 97  | 1,498 89   |
| Kewaunee.....                    | Winnebago.....                | 78 21       | 85 26   | 163 47     |
| Lafayette.....                   | Grant.....                    | 234 64      | 280 59  | 515 23     |
| Lafayette.....                   | Green.....                    | 2,038 50    | 2,520 35  | 4,558 85   |
| Lafayette.....                   | Iowa.....                     | 25 71       | 25 71   | 51 42      |
| Lafayette.....                   | Rock.....                     | 528 00      | 601 21  | 1,129 21   |
| Lafayette.....                   | Richland.....                 | 205 93      | 240 24  | 446 17     |
| Langlade.....                    | Marathon.....                 | 234 64      | 255 40  | 490 04     |
| Langlade.....                    | Outagamie.....                | 78 21       | 84 96   | 163 17     |
| Langlade.....                    | Winnebago.....                | 78 21       | 86 51   | 164 72     |
| Lincoln.....                     | Dodge.....                    | 234 64      | 272 49  | 507 13     |
| Lincoln.....                     | Marathon.....                 | 813 64      | 932 52  | 1,746 16   |
| Lincoln.....                     | Winnebago.....                | 166 93      | 204 23  | 371 16     |
| Marinette.....                   | Brown.....                    | 184 71      | 218 91  | 403 62     |
| Marinette.....                   | Fond du Lac.....              | 400 93      | 482 68  | 883 61     |
| Marinette.....                   | Manitowoc.....                | 191 14      | 229 42  | 420 56     |
| Marinette.....                   | Outagamie.....                | 138 85      | 161 05  | 299 90     |
| Marinette.....                   | Rock.....                     | 469 28      | 523 94  | 993 22     |
| Marinette.....                   | Sheboygan.....                | 123 64      | 142 89  | 266 53     |
| Marinette.....                   | Winnebago.....                | 475 07      | 551 15  | 1,026 22   |
| Marquette.....                   | Columbia.....                 | 187 50      | 221 21  | 408 71     |
| Marquette.....                   | Fond du Lac.....              | 469 29      | 580 94  | 1,050 23   |
| Marquette.....                   | Marathon.....                 | 234 64      | 265 84  | 500 48     |
| Marquette.....                   | Rock.....                     | 547 50      | 632 36  | 1,179 86   |
| Marquette.....                   | Richland.....                 | 91 07       | 106 24  | 197 31     |
| Monroe.....                      | Sauk.....                     | 234 64      | 255 27  | 489 91     |
| Monroe.....                      | Vernon.....                   | 1,950 00    | 2,329 00  | 4,279 00   |
| Monroe.....                      | La Crosse.....                | 78 21       | 95 71   | 173 92     |
| Oconto.....                      | Brown.....                    | 891 85      | 1,093 60  | 1,985 45   |
| Oconto.....                      | Dodge.....                    | 700 71      | 812 46  | 1,513 17   |
| Oconto.....                      | Iowa.....                     | 24 86       | 33 86   | 58 72      |
| Oconto.....                      | Manitowoc.....                | 340 50      | 402 95  | 743 45     |
| Oconto.....                      | Marathon.....                 | 234 64      | 277 74  | 512 38     |
| Oconto.....                      | Outagamie.....                | 529 92      | 610 72  | 1,140 64   |
| Oconto.....                      | Sheboygan.....                | 78 21       | 90 71   | 168 92     |
| Oconto.....                      | Winnebago.....                | 391 07      | 435 37  | 826 44     |
| Oneida.....                      | Marathon.....                 | 255 64      | 292 44  | 548 08     |
| Oneida.....                      | Winnebago.....                | 234 64      | 263 44  | 498 08     |
| Ozaukee.....                     | Iowa.....                     | 24 86       | 32 36   | 57 22      |



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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---|------------|
| Ozaukee                          | Manitowoc                     | \$2,128 50  | \$2,453 07                                      | \$4,581 57 |
| Ozaukee                          | Sheboygan                     | 294 46      | 128 04  | 422 50     |
| Pepin                            | Chippewa                      | 78 21       | 90 16   | 168 37     |
| Pepin                            | Dunn                          | 489 29      | 507 84  | 977 13     |
| Pepin                            | Iowa                          | 10 29       | 10 29   | 20 58      |
| Pepin                            | Rock                          | 218 57      | 251 79  | 470 36     |
| Pepin                            | St. Croix                     | 78 21       | 80 07   | 158 28     |
| Pepin                            | Vernon                        | 78 22       | 91 22   | 169 44     |
| Pierce                           | Dane                          | 212 78      | 267 28  | 480 04     |
| Pierce                           | Dunn                          | 703 92      | 764 17  | 1,468 09   |
| Pierce                           | Green                         | 8 57        | 8 57  | 17 14      |
| Pierce                           | Iowa                          | 250 07      | 278 52  | 528 59     |
| Pierce                           | Richland                      | 22 38       | 26 00   | 48 38      |
| Pierce                           | Sauk                          | 539 14      | 573 24  | 1,112 38   |
| Pierce                           | St. Croix                     | 191 14      | 212 96  | 404 10     |
| Price                            | Chippewa                      | 61 50       | 67 10   | 128 60     |
| Price                            | Dunn                          | 156 42      | 170 77  | 327 19     |
| Price                            | Fond du Lac                   | 234 64      | 296 14  | 530 78     |
| Price                            | St. Croix                     | 66 86       | 81 99   | 148 85     |
| Price                            | Winnebago                     | 234 64      | 265 64  | 500 28     |
| Polk                             | Dunn                          | 495 64      | 496 59  | 992 23     |
| Polk                             | Green                         | 312 86      | 390 11  | 702 97     |
| Polk                             | Iowa                          | 775 29      | 935 49  | 1,710 78   |
| Polk                             | Marathon                      | 143 36      | 180 11  | 323 47     |
| Polk                             | St. Croix                     | 307 51      | 320 77  | 628 28     |
| Portage                          | Columbia                      | 194 35      | 240 13  | 434 48     |
| Portage                          | Dunn                          | 286 28      | 306 03  | 592 31     |
| Portage                          | Fond du Lac                   | 156 43      | 188 93  | 345 36     |
| Portage                          | Manitowoc                     | 75 43       | 75 43   | 150 86     |
| Portage                          | Marathon                      | 1,297 07    | 1,444 35  | 2,741 42   |
| Portage                          | Outagamie                     | 34 92       | 54 67   | 89 59      |
| Portage                          | St. Croix                     | 388 07      | 421 29  | 809 36     |
| Portage                          | Vernon                        | 78 22       | 99 72   | 177 94     |
| Portage                          | Winnebago                     | 366 00      | 414 20  | 780 20     |
| Sawyer                           | Chippewa                      | 78 21       | 91 31   | 169 52     |
| Sawyer                           | Marathon                      | 156 43      | 181 13  | 337 56     |
| Sawyer                           | Rock                          | 78 21       | 88 14   | 166 35     |
| Sawyer                           | St. Croix                     | 162 86      | 177 19  | 340 05     |
| Shawano                          | Dodge                         | 156 42      | 179 47  | 335 89     |
| Shawano                          | Manitowoc                     | 75 43       | 84 38   | 159 81     |
| Shawano                          | Marathon                      | 703 93      | 814 30  | 1,518 23   |
| Shawano                          | Winnebago                     | 312 86      | 339 86  | 652 72     |
| Taylor                           | Chippewa                      | 78 21       | 89 51   | 167 72     |
| Taylor                           | Dunn                          | 391 07      | 425 97  | 817 04     |
| Taylor                           | Sauk                          | 24 21       | 24 71   | 48 92      |
| Taylor                           | St. Croix                     | 72 21       | 83 37   | 161 58     |
| Taylor                           | Winnebago                     | 391 07      | 444 42  | 835 49     |
| Trempealeau                      | Iowa                          | 93 64       | 104 59  | 198 23     |
| Trempealeau                      | La Crosse                     | 672 43      | 754 43  | 1,426 86   |
| Trempealeau                      | Marathon                      | 234 64      | 274 74  | 509 38     |
| Trempealeau                      | Sauk                          | 703 93      | 750 43  | 1,454 36   |
| Trempealeau                      | Vernon                        | 723 22      | 871 17  | 1,594 39   |
| Vilas                            | Manitowoc                     | 74 14       | 82 49   | 156 63     |
| Vilas                            | Marathon                      | 78 21       | 92 76   | 170 97     |
| Vilas                            | Sauk                          | 24 21       | 26 46   | 50 67      |
| Washburn                         | Dunn                          | 78 21       | 88 46   | 166 67     |
| Washburn                         | Rock                          | 78 21       | 85 59   | 163 80     |
| Washburn                         | St. Croix                     | 6 43        | 6 98  | 13 36      |
| Washington                       | Dodge                         | 1,513 92    | 1,747 07  | 3,260 99   |
| Washington                       | Fond du Lac                   | 102 86      | 110 36  | 213 22     |
| Washington                       | Manitowoc                     | 365 36      | 440 84  | 806 20     |
| Washington                       | Sheboygan                     | 616 92      | 719 42  | 1,336 34   |

*Statistical Tables.*

**DIVISIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS TO COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR  
THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1898 — Continued.**

| Counties from which transferred. | Counties to be paid for care. | From state.        | Special tax on counties from which transferred. | Total.              |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|---|---------------------|
| Washington .....                 | Winnebago .....               | \$78 21            | \$79 84   | \$158 05            |
| Waukesha .....                   | Iowa .....                    | 1,739 79           | 1,946 64  | 3,686 43            |
| Waukesha .....                   | Jefferson .....               | 139 92             | 146 22  | 286 14              |
| Waukesha .....                   | Outagamie .....               | 391 06             | 444 91  | 835 97              |
| Waukesha .....                   | Rock .....                    | 234 64             | 268 80  | 503 44              |
| Waukesha .....                   | Walworth .....                | 1,881 86           | 2,023 76  | 3,905 62            |
| Waupaca .....                    | Dunn .....                    | 179 14             | 192 14  | 371 28              |
| Waupaca .....                    | Fond du Lac .....             | 78 21              | 78 21   | 156 42              |
| Waupaca .....                    | Manitowoc .....               | 553 50             | 651 43  | 1,204 93            |
| Waupaca .....                    | Marathon .....                | 938 57             | 1,064 79  | 2,003 36            |
| Waupaca .....                    | Outagamie .....               | 1,282 92           | 1,508 07  | 2,790 99            |
| Waupaca .....                    | Winnebago .....               | 312 86             | 341 01  | 653 87              |
| Waushara .....                   | Jefferson .....               | 25 07              | 29 87   | 54 94               |
| Waushara .....                   | Manitowoc .....               | 150 86             | 166 57  | 317 43              |
| Waushara .....                   | Marathon .....                | 156 43             | 173 56  | 329 99              |
| Waushara .....                   | Richland .....                | 391 08             | 456 23  | 847 31              |
| Waushara .....                   | Winnebago .....               | 469 29             | 518 57  | 987 86              |
| Wood .....                       | Chippewa .....                | 61 50              | 71 50   | 133 00              |
| Wood .....                       | Marathon .....                | 1,003 93           | 1,146 63  | 2,150 56            |
| Wood .....                       | Outagamie .....               | 78 21              | 88 01   | 166 22              |
| Wood .....                       | Richland .....                | 63 45              | 74 49   | 138 94              |
| Wood .....                       | Vernon .....                  | 78 22              | 91 22   | 169 44              |
| Wood .....                       | Winnebago .....               | 312 86             | 334 06  | 646 92              |
| <b>Total .....</b>               |                               | <b>\$76,109 32</b> | <b>\$86,684 12</b>                              | <b>\$162,793 44</b> |

*Statistical Tables.*DIVISIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS TO COUNTY ASYLUMS FOR  
THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1898.

## Part 2. For their own insane and state at large.

| Counties.         | For their<br>own insane. | For state<br>insane. | Total.       |
|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| Brown .....       | \$8,705 85               | .....                | \$8,705 85   |
| Chippewa.....     | 3,807 64                 | .....                | 3,807 64     |
| Columbia.....     | 4,975 50                 | \$4,041 54           | 9,017 04     |
| Dane.....         | 10,882 03                | 1,437 31             | 12,319 34    |
| Dodge.....        | 6,386 14                 | 671 65               | 7,057 79     |
| Dunn.....         | 3,357 00                 | 1,146 05             | 4,503 05     |
| Fond du Lac ..... | 6,893 78                 | 356 36               | 7,250 14     |
| Grant.....        | 6,274 94                 | 357 33               | 6,632 27     |
| Green.....        | 3,840 43                 | .....                | 3,840 43     |
| Iowa.....         | 3,921 36                 | 869 52               | 4,790 88     |
| Jefferson.....    | 7,162 50                 | 1,910 77             | 9,073 27     |
| La Crosse.....    | 5,898 00                 | 1,899 75             | 7,797 75     |
| Manitowoc.....    | 3,554 79                 | 5,405 92             | 8,960 71     |
| Marathon.....     | 3,023 13                 | 22 71                | 3,045 84     |
| Milwaukee.....    | 11,712 21                | .....                | 11,712 21    |
| Outagamie.....    | 4,931 35                 | 336 74               | 5,268 09     |
| Racine.....       | 6,338 14                 | 837 54               | 7,175 68     |
| Rock.....         | 7,727 36                 | 1,531 27             | 9,258 63     |
| Richland.....     | 2,724 42                 | 6,854 08             | 9,578 50     |
| Sauk.....         | 4,124 58                 | .....                | 4,124 58     |
| St. Croix.....    | 3,957 64                 | 1,435 81             | 5,443 45     |
| Sheboygan.....    | 6,495 43                 | .....                | 6,495 43     |
| Vernon.....       | 4,062 87                 | 3,511 84             | 7,544 71     |
| Walworth.....     | 4,081 50                 | .....                | 4,081 50     |
| Winnebago.....    | 7,788 02                 | 1,307 02             | 9,095 04     |
| Totals .....      | \$140,626 61             | \$34,053 21          | \$174,679 82 |

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*Statistical Tables.*


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## STATEMENT

*Of population, weekly per capita cost, etc., of Wisconsin State Hospitals, the Milwaukee County Hospital for the Insane, and the various county asylums for the chronic insane, for the year ending September 30, 1898.*

| Name of Institution.                          | Average population. | Total current expenses. | Weekly cost per capita. |
|---|---------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Wisconsin State Hospital for the Insane.....  | 410                 | \$110,497 07            | \$5 18                  |
| Northern Hospital for the Insane.....         | 546                 | 144,687 77              | 5 99                    |
| Milwaukee County Hospital for the Insane..... | 385                 | 67,867 80               | 3 39                    |
| Brown County Asylum.....                      | 99                  | 10,891 91               | 2 07                    |
| Chippewa County Asylum.....                   | 107                 | 11,153 73               | 1 48                    |
| Columbia County Asylum.....                   | 104                 | 8,556 66                | 1 20                    |
| Dane County Asylum.....                       | 159                 | 11,926 35               | 1 22                    |
| Dodge County Asylum.....                      | 118                 | 10,762 09               | 1 73                    |
| Dunn County Asylum.....                       | 117                 | 9,779 24                | 1 73                    |
| Fond du Lac County Asylum.....                | 132                 | 11,693 64               | 1 81                    |
| Grant County Asylum.....                      | 109                 | 10,539 48               | 1 60                    |
| Green County Asylum.....                      | 116                 | 10,068 75               | 1 79                    |
| Iowa County Asylum.....                       | 111                 | 8,613 96                | 1 17                    |
| Jefferson County Asylum.....                  | 124                 | 11,783 79               | 1 54                    |
| La Crosse County Asylum.....                  | 131                 | 10,332 16               | 1 56                    |
| Manitowoc County Asylum.....                  | 139                 | 14,594 62               | 1 61                    |
| Marathon County Asylum.....                   | 161                 | 16,511 02               | 1 70                    |
| Milwaukee County Asylum.....                  | 152                 | 18,167 12               | 2 27                    |
| Outagamie County Asylum.....                  | 129                 | 10,979 21               | 1 30                    |
| Racine County Asylum.....                     | 116                 | 11,351 83               | 1 72                    |
| Richland County Asylum.....                   | 97                  | 9,346 55                | 1 70                    |
| Rock County Asylum.....                       | 152                 | 12,188 75               | 1 43                    |
| St Croix County Asylum.....                   | 112                 | 9,110 00                | 1 45                    |
| Sauk County Asylum.....                       | 99                  | 7,054 44                | 1 25                    |
| Sheboygan County Asylum.....                  | 109                 | 10,417 26               | 1 66                    |
| Vernon County Asylum.....                     | 130                 | 13,185 13               | 1 69                    |
| Walworth County Asylum.....                   | 97                  | 7,481 94                | 1 24                    |
| Winnebago County Asylum.....                  | 198                 | 16,468 88               | 1 65                    |
| Totals.....                                   | 4,459               | \$606,013 65            | \$2 61                  |

*Statistical Tables.*WEEKLY COST PER CAPITA OF INSTITUTIONS FOR THE  
INSANE*As reported by the officers in charge of each.*

## FOR FIRST DECADE.

| INSTITUTIONS.          | 1861   | 1862   | 1863   | 1864   | 1865   | 1866   | 1867   | 1868   | 1869   | 1870   |
|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| State Hospital.....    | \$4 61 | \$3 79 | \$3 75 | \$3 63 | \$5 08 | \$4 30 | \$4 50 | \$4 43 | \$4 42 | \$4 30 |
| Northern Hospital..... |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |

## FOR SECOND DECADE.

| INSTITUTIONS.           | 1871   | 1872   | 1873   | 1874   | 1875   | 1876   | 1877   | 1878   | 1879   | 1880   |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| State hospital .....    | \$4 12 | \$4 59 | \$5 12 | \$4 81 | \$5 22 | \$5 85 | \$5 03 | \$4 81 | \$4 73 | \$4 93 |
| Northern hospital.....  |        |        | 9 27   | 6 41   | 6 46   | 5 14   | 4 68   | 4 61   | 4 20   | 4 35   |
| Milwaukee hospital..... |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        | 2 91   |

## FOR THIRD DECADE.

| INSTITUTIONS.            | 1881   | 1882   | 1883   | 1884   | 1885   | 1886   | 1887   | 1888   | 1889   | 1890   |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| State Hospital .....     | \$4 42 | \$3 92 | \$3 90 | \$3 46 | \$3 53 | \$3 46 | \$3 55 | \$3 74 | \$3 78 | \$3 83 |
| Northern Hospital.....   | 4 38   | 3 57   | 3 89   | 3 67   | 3 73   | 3 22   | 3 32   | 3 80   | 3 44   | 3 70   |
| Milwaukee Hospital.....  | 3 66   | 4 14   | 3 89   | 3 86   | 3 94   | 3 16   | 3 79   | 3 88   | 3 21   | 3 58   |
| COUNTY ASYLUMS.          |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Brown.....               |        | 2 15   | 2 16   | 2 00   | 1 61   | 1 88   | 1 65   | 1 70   | 1 89   | 1 85   |
| Columbia.....            |        |        | 1 32   | 1 33   | 1 67   | 1 27   | 1 39   | 1 48   | 1 52   | 1 65   |
| Dane .....               |        |        | 2 09   | 2 04   | 1 90   | 1 68   | 1 61   | 1 84   | 1 57   | 1 75   |
| Dodge .....              |        |        | 2 33   | 2 27   | 2 11   | 1 93   | 1 80   | 1 82   | 1 86   | 1 78   |
| Dunn .....               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Fond du Lac .....        |        |        |        |        |        | 2 00   | 1 85   | 1 78   | 1 60   | 1 81   |
| Grant .....              |        |        | 2 00   | 2 00   | 1 87   | 1 81   | 1 89   | 1 56   | 1 47   | 1 79   |
| Green .....              |        |        | 1 71   | 1 94   | 1 73   | 1 41   | 1 47   | 1 65   | 1 72   | 1 74   |
| Iowa .....               |        |        |        |        |        |        | 1 57   | 1 30   | 1 70   | 1 24   |
| Jefferson .....          |        | 1 02   | 95     | 1 28   | 1 40   | 1 50   | 1 52   | 1 60   | 1 68   | 1 62   |
| La Crosse .....          |        |        |        |        |        |        |        | 2 30   | 1 80   | 1 32   |
| Manitowoc .....          |        |        |        |        | 1 73   | 1 93   | 1 87   | 1 80   | 1 72   | 1 51   |
| Milwaukee .....          |        |        |        |        |        |        |        | 3 23   | 2 54   | 2 54   |
| Outagamie.....           |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        | 3 28   |
| Racine .....             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        | 3 73   |
| Rock .....               |        | 1 70   | 1 57   | 1 33   | 1 73   | 2 14   | 1 83   | 1 61   | 1 47   | 1 37   |
| Sauk .....               |        |        |        |        |        |        | 1 49   | 1 17   | 1 39   | 1 09   |
| Sheboygan .....          |        | 2 30   | 2 24   | 2 19   | 2 10   | 2 10   | 2 37   | 2 63   | 2 29   | 1 98   |
| Vernon .....             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        | 2 64   | 1 68   |
| Walworth .....           |        | 1 32   | 1 29   | 1 28   | 1 52   | 80     | 1 09   | 1 22   | 1 28   | 1 33   |
| Winneago .....           |        | 1 47   | 1 13   | 1 50   | 1 28   | 1 33   | 1 32   | 1 25   | 1 25   | 1 18   |
| Av. for county asylums.. |        | \$1 66 | \$1 68 | \$1 79 | \$1 89 | \$1 70 | \$1 65 | \$1 64 | \$1 69 | \$1 75 |

*Statistical Tables.*

## FOR FOURTH DECADE.

| INSTITUTIONS.                | 1891.  | 1892.  | 1893.  | 1894.  | 1895.  | 1896.  | 1897.  | 1898.  |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| State Hospital .....         | \$4 17 | \$3 89 | \$3 71 | \$4 02 | \$5 03 | \$5 01 | \$5 38 | \$5 18 |
| Northern Hospital.....       | 3 56   | 3 56   | 3 70   | 3 73   | 4 56   | 4 07   | 4 75   | 5 99   |
| Milwaukee Hospital.....      | 3 65   | 3 51   | 3 95   | 3 16   | 3 63   | 3 79   | 3 37   | 3 39   |
| COUNTY ASYLUMS.              |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Brown.....                   | 2 00   | 1 75   | 1 80   | 1 95   | 1 85   | 2 05   | 1 95   | 2 07   |
| Chippewa.....                |        |        |        |        |        | 2 67   | 1 55   | 1 48   |
| Columbia.....                | 1 53   | 1 55   | 1 65   | 1 84   | 1 32   | 1 28   | 1 32   | 1 20   |
| Dane.....                    | 1 70   | 1 60   | 1 58   | 1 40   | 1 18   | 1 38   | 1 35   | 1 22   |
| Dodge.....                   | 1 75   | 1 98   | 1 99   | 2 00   | 1 85   | 1 74   | 1 65   | 1 73   |
| Dunn.....                    |        | 1 86   | 1 55   | 1 55   | 1 53   | 1 32   | 1 81   | 1 73   |
| Fond du Lac.....             | 1 98   | 2 25   | 2 14   | 1 90   | 1 96   | 1 67   | 1 80   | 1 81   |
| Grant.....                   | 1 74   | 1 99   | 1 67   | 1 89   | 1 72   | 1 60   | 1 58   | 1 60   |
| Green.....                   | 1 90   | 1 52   | 1 65   | 1 58   | 1 73   | 1 68   | 1 66   | 1 79   |
| Iowa.....                    | 1 44   | 1 58   | 1 53   | 1 23   | 1 65   | 1 44   | 1 34   | 1 17   |
| Jefferson.....               | 1 88   | 1 87   | 1 86   | 1 54   | 1 79   | 1 66   | 2 05   | 1 54   |
| La Crosse.....               | 1 35   | 1 37   | 1 49   | 1 27   | 1 35   | 1 36   | 1 27   | 1 56   |
| Marathon.....                |        |        |        | 4 28   | 1 77   | 1 49   | 1 39   | 1 61   |
| Manitowoc.....               | 1 60   | 1 61   | 1 52   | 1 72   | 1 67   | 1 61   | 1 70   | 1 70   |
| Milwaukee.....               | 2 51   | 2 74   | 2 71   | 2 51   | 2 48   | 3 41   | 2 52   | 2 27   |
| Outagamie.....               | 2 10   | 1 85   | 1 72   | 1 71   | 1 47   | 1 62   | 1 75   | 1 30   |
| Racine.....                  | 2 01   | 1 89   | 2 21   | 1 94   | 1 95   | 2 05   | 1 98   | 1 72   |
| Richland.....                |        |        |        |        |        |        | 2 38   | 1 70   |
| Rock.....                    | 1 21   | 1 32   | 1 14   | 1 53   | 1 58   | 1 31   | 1 30   | 1 43   |
| St. Croix.....               |        |        |        |        |        |        | 1 88   | 1 45   |
| Sauk.....                    | 1 09   | 1 08   | 1 15   | 1 18   | 1 35   | 1 31   | 1 22   | 1 25   |
| Sheboygan.....               | 2 31   | 2 26   | 2 19   | 1 83   | 1 90   | 2 19   | 2 14   | 1 86   |
| Vernon.....                  | 1 66   | 1 55   | 1 62   | 1 49   | 1 63   | 1 76   | 1 93   | 1 89   |
| Walworth.....                | 1 38   | 1 21   | 1 45   | 1 38   | 1 12   | 1 17   | 1 00   | 1 24   |
| Winnebago.....               | 1 16   | 1 56   | 1 53   | 1 68   | 1 93   | 2 08   | 1 68   | 1 65   |
| Av. for county asylums ..... | \$1 78 | \$1 70 | \$1 74 | \$1 74 | \$1 68 | \$1 73 | \$1 66 | \$1 60 |

*Statistical Tables.*

## SYSTEMS OF POOR RELIEF.

| Counties.         | Systems.                            | Counties.         | Systems.                                  |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Adams .....       | County with poorhouse.              | Marathon .....    | Mixed, with poorhouse.                    |
| Ashland .....     | County, with poorhouse.             | Marinette .....   | Town.                                     |
| Barron .....      | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Marquette .....   | Town.                                     |
| Bayfield .....    | Town.                               | Milwaukee .....   | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Brown .....       | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Monroe .....      | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Buffalo .....     | Town.                               | Oconto .....      | Town, city poorhouse in<br>Oconto.        |
| Burnett .....     | Town.                               | Outagamie ....    | Town, city poorhouse in<br>Appleton.      |
| Calumet .....     | Town.                               | Ozaukee .....     | Town.                                     |
| Chippewa .....    | County, with poorhouse.             | Pepin .....       | Town.                                     |
| Clark .....       | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Pierce .....      | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Columbia .....    | County, with poorhouse.             | Polk .....        | Town.                                     |
| Crawford .....    | County, with poorhouse.             | Portage .....     | Town, city poorhouse in<br>Stevens Point. |
| Dane .....        | County, with poorhouse.             | Price .....       | Mixed, with poorhouse.                    |
| Dodge .....       | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Racine .....      | Mixed, with poorhouse.                    |
| Door .....        | Town.                               | Richland .....    | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Douglas .....     | County, with poorhouse.             | Rock .....        | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Dunn .....        | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | St. Croix .....   | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Eau Claire .....  | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Sauk .....        | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Florence .....    | Town.                               | Sawyer .....      | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Fond du Lac ..... | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Shawano .....     | Town.                                     |
| Forest .....      | Town.                               | Sheboygan .....   | Town, city poorhouse in<br>Sheboygan.     |
| Grant .....       | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Taylor .....      | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Green .....       | County, with poorhouse.             | Trempealeau ..... | Town.                                     |
| Green Lake .....  | Town.                               | Vernon .....      | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Iowa .....        | County, with poorhouse.             | Walworth .....    | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Jackson .....     | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Washburn .....    | Town.                                     |
| Jefferson .....   | County, with poorhouse.             | Washington .....  | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Juneau .....      | County, with poorhouse.             | Waukesha .....    | Mixed, with poorhouse.                    |
| Kenosha .....     | Town, city poorhouse in<br>Kenosha. | Waupaca .....     | Mixed, with poorhouse.                    |
| Kewaunee .....    | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Waushara .....    | Town.                                     |
| La Crosse .....   | County, with poorhouse.             | Winnebago .....   | Mixed, with poorhouse.                    |
| Lafayette .....   | Mixed, with poorhouse.              | Wood .....        | County, with poorhouse.                   |
| Langlade .....    | Town.                               |                   |   |
| Lincoln .....     | County, with poorhouse.             |                   |   |
| Manitowoc .....   | Town.                               |                   |   |

*Statistical Tables.*

## STATISTICS OF PAUPERISM.

*The years 1897 and 1898 — ending September 30th.*

| Movement of population in poorhouses.                       | 1897. | 1898. |
|---|-------|-------|
| Number in poorhouse at the beginning of the year.....       | 1,034 | 924   |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 706   | 640   |
| And females.....  | 328   | 284   |
| There were received during the year.....                    | 848   | 534   |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 573   | 403   |
| And females.....  | 175   | 131   |
| There were born in poorhouses....                           | 19    | 13    |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 13    | 6     |
| And females.....  | 6     | 7     |
| Making the total in poorhouses during the year.....         | 1,901 | 1,471 |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 1,393 | 1,049 |
| And females.....  | 509   | 422   |
| There were discharged during the year.....                  | 668   | 413   |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 520   | 318   |
| And females.....  | 148   | 95    |
| There were placed out during the year .....                 | 28    | 24    |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 15    | 11    |
| And females.....  | 13    | 13    |
| Ran away during the year.....                               | 29    | 30    |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 21    | 26    |
| And females.....  | 8     | 4     |
| There died in poorhouses during the year .....              | 135   | 122   |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 102   | 99    |
| And females.....  | 33    | 23    |
| Number remaining in poorhouses at the end of the year ..... | 1,041 | 882   |
| Of whom were males .....                                    | 754   | 595   |
| And females.....  | 287   | 287   |



*Statistical Tables.*

## AGES OF PAUPERS IN POOR HOUSES.

|  | 1897. | 1898. |
|--|-------|-------|
| Number of inmates under five years of age at close of year ..... | 14    | 18    |
| There had been in all during the year.....                       | 49    | 37    |
| There were between five and sixteen at close of year.....        | 18    | 7     |
| There had been in all during the year .....                      | 60    | 35    |
| There were of sound mind and body at the close of year.....      | 4     | ..... |
| There had been in all during the year .....                      | 15    | ..... |
| There were between sixteen and sixty at close of year.....       | 403   | 353   |
| There had been in all during the year .....                      | 890   | 653   |
| There were over sixty years of age at close of year.....         | 537   | 467   |
| There had been in all during the year .....                      | 737   | 688   |
| Ages not reported at close of the year .....                     | ..... | ..... |
| Ages not reported in all during year .....                       | 165   | 57    |

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*Statistical Tables.*


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## CAUSES OF PAUPERISM IN POORHOUSES.

Officers in charge report as follows for those in poorhouses during each year.

|                                 | 1897. | 1898. |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Insanity.....                   | 32    | 31    |
| Epilepsy.....                   | 35    | 28    |
| Idiocy.....                     | 161   | 115   |
| Deaf mutism.....                | 12    | 6     |
| Blindness.....                  | 60    | 43    |
| Old age.....                    | 622   | 491   |
| Disease.....                    | 443   | 271   |
| Deformity or loss of limbs..... | 66    | 58    |
| Lying in cases.....             | 15    | 7     |
| Not disabled.....               | 139   | ..... |
| Causes not reported.....        | 307   | 420   |

## NATIVITY OF PAUPERS IN POORHOUSES DURING EACH YEAR.

|   | 1897. | 1898. |
|---|-------|-------|
| Number of inmates of native birth.....      | 551   | 481   |
| Number of foreign birth.....                | 905   | 830   |
| Number whose nativity was not reported..... | 445   | 159   |

*Statistical Tables.*

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF POOR HOUSES.

| EXPENDITURES.                               | 1897.        | 1898.       |
|---|--------------|-------------|
| Salaries of overseers and matrons.....      | \$19,881 29  | \$15,734 94 |
| Wages of employes.....                      | 15,356 03    | 13,915 61   |
| Medical attendance.....                     | 4,370 39     | 3,330 05    |
| Groceries and provisions.....               | 31,453 29    | 26,227 06   |
| Fuel and lights.....                        | 7,915 98     | 6,599 46    |
| Clothing.....                               | 8,862 44     | 7,187 91    |
| Furniture.....                              | 2,271 24     | 1,580 62    |
| Ordinary repairs.....                       | 4,870 47     | 4,424 93    |
| Other ordinary expenses.....                | 12,192 63    | 9,070 76    |
| Total current expenses.....                 | \$107,173 76 | \$88,071 34 |
| RECEIPTS.                                   |              |             |
| From sales of farm produce.....             | \$11,867 32  | \$9,671 47  |
| From expenses of inmates refunded.....      | 606 64       | 976 37      |
| From other sources.....                     | 3,590 78     | 2,618 22    |
| Total receipts.....                         | \$16,064 74  | \$13,266 06 |
| The net expenses therefore were.....        | 91,109 02    | \$74,805 28 |
| Total number of weeks' board furnished..... | 61,046       | 49,881      |
| Average cost of support per week.....       | 1 49         | 1 50        |

## Statistical Tables.

## COST OF POOR RELIEF.

| Counties.        | 1885.      | 1887.      | 1889.      | 1891.      | 1893.      | 1895.      | 1897.      | Total.      | Average annual cost. | Average population, 1885 and 1896. | Cost of poor relief to population. |
|------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Adams.....       | \$1,989 00 | \$2,000 00 | \$1,822 92 | \$1,985 44 | \$2,000 00 | \$2,208 68 | \$1,080 64 | \$13,086 68 | \$1,939 52           | 7,226                              | \$ 26                              |
| Ashland.....     | 1,104 00   | 6,315 47   | 6,944 92   | 2,184 76   | 11,874 76  | 19,260 52  | 15,445 11  | 68,813 72   | 9,973 67             | 12,061                             | 32                                 |
| Barren.....      | 6,008 27   | 4,111 31   | 4,380 32   | 2,677 59   | 4,316 16   | 4,623 65   | 4,478 31   | 23,061 34   | 4,151 05             | 16,839                             | 23                                 |
| Bayfield.....    | 1,100 00   | 3,713 68   | 3,596 00   | 2,493 15   | 7,452 94   | 7,276 72   | 10,231 91  | 38,800 10   | 6,542 61             | 8,013                              | 69                                 |
| Brown.....       | 2,605 49   | 5,307 60   | 7,482 58   | 6,754 80   | 7,769 60   | 7,134 90   | 3,604 79   | 47,078 04   | 6,725 43             | 16,707                             | 16                                 |
| Buffalo.....     | 2,605 32   | 2,041 75   | 2,351 00   | 1,676 00   | 2,248 00   | 3,063 13   | 2,600 24   | 17,036 51   | 2,433 79             | 5,249                              | 14                                 |
| Burnett.....     | 2,100 00   | 2,471 00   | 2,471 00   | 1,625 31   | 1,234 25   | 3,986 23   | 1,624 80   | 7,044 62    | 1,006 57             | 5,249                              | 19                                 |
| Calumet.....     | 2,138 19   | 2,238 50   | 2,434 24   | 1,825 00   | 3,022 27   | 3,201 61   | 4,931 80   | 19,841 01   | 2,534 49             | 17,706                             | 16                                 |
| Chippewa.....    | 7,255 65   | 5,312 49   | 5,072 39   | 6,139 82   | 5,814 66   | 5,476 27   | 2,116 97   | 40,138 26   | 3,736 89             | 26,831                             | 21                                 |
| Clark.....       | 3,757 32   | 4,868 68   | 3,971 68   | 4,725 38   | 4,239 39   | 12,064 32  | 1,233 72   | 27,060 06   | 3,968 63             | 18,383                             | 21                                 |
| Columbia.....    | 3,086 32   | 11,539 08  | 17,168 02  | 10,511 78  | 14,000 00  | 12,069 50  | 3,365 25   | 71,370 33   | 10,195 76            | 30,362                             | 33                                 |
| Crawford.....    | 3,650 00   | 4,324 33   | 17,382 53  | 3,601 99   | 3,805 08   | 3,196 70   | 1,386 55   | 23,598 86   | 4,085 55             | 16,662                             | 24                                 |
| Dane.....        | 13,134 43  | 16,738 80  | 14,269 31  | 17,730 53  | 13,646 52  | 17,243 73  | 4,138 23   | 97,506 57   | 13,929 51            | 62,035                             | 22                                 |
| Dodge.....       | 12,058 45  | 5,669 49   | 4,855 76   | 3,130 46   | 1,766 74   | 3,868 09   | 2,729 82   | 15,837 57   | 2,691 03             | 16,261                             | 16                                 |
| Door.....        | 2,323 96   | 3,850 10   | 1,817 76   | 2,438 00   | 17,680 75  | 24,012 01  | 3,500 00   | 85,007 91   | 10,719 27            | 16,345                             | 65                                 |
| Douglas.....     | 5,067 83   | 9,227 89   | 10,100 00  | 6,866 76   | 2,733 17   | 6,865 46   | 3,909 35   | 40,622 81   | 5,846 64             | 23,479                             | 23                                 |
| Dunn.....        | 6,061 68   | 7,003 85   | 7,325 54   | 4,836 24   | 4,105 66   | 10,263 71  | 11,266 54  | 45,423 81   | 6,918 37             | 33,961                             | 20                                 |
| Eau Claire.....  | 8,532 35   | 5,073 27   | 4,360 61   | 4,586 58   | 825 24     | 2,820 00   | 9,057 75   | 22,607 35   | 3,229 62             | 2,280                              | 1                                  |
| Florence.....    | 4,534 86   | 1,000 00   | 11,241 12  | 1,580 38   | 9,252 85   | 16,170 43  | 9,046 14   | 51,371 08   | 10,195 96            | 47,129                             | 21                                 |
| Fond du Lac..... | 14,686 67  | 11,077 20  | 10,680 80  | 10,430 44  | 751 43     | 700 00     | 3,960 00   | 2,669 71    | 539 94               | 367                                | 63                                 |
| Forest.....      | 4,312 47   | 683 28     | 25 00      | 2,900 55   | 3,064 19   | 3,388 17   | 2,532 34   | 22,533 56   | 3,219 08             | 37,835                             | 08                                 |
| Grant.....       | 6,700 00   | 8,000 00   | 10,994 90  | 14,000 00  | 13,000 00  | 4,474 57   | 3,318 89   | 60,488 36   | 8,641 19             | 23,246                             | 37                                 |
| Green.....       | 1,964 41   | 3,378 73   | 3,345 45   | 3,063 06   | 4,794 96   | 4,571 64   | 5,017 09   | 26,168 37   | 3,738 31             | 15,973                             | 23                                 |
| Green Lake.....  | 6,600 00   | 4,000 00   | 2,000 00   | 30 00      | 943 08     | 1,283 01   | 1,239 81   | 16,086 67   | 2,299 88             | 23,160                             | 19                                 |
| Iowa.....        | 4,468 63   | 3,735 38   | 8,643 74   | 5,422 70   | 12,000 00  | 6,581 04   | 11,233 91  | 32,814 96   | 9,938 32             | 5,338                              | 1                                  |
| Jackson.....     | 6,720 06   | 6,329 71   | 5,863 38   | 6,420 00   | 4,703 60   | 2,383 99   | 3,000 56   | 32,368 60   | 4,624 08             | 16,312                             | 28                                 |
| Jefferson.....   | 5,383 63   | 4,000 00   | 4,000 00   | 2,517 20   | 9,452 62   | 10,702 76  | 4,205 17   | 49,773 65   | 7,110 62             | 35,267                             | 20                                 |
| Juneau.....      | 3,523 79   | 3,000 00   | 2,669 55   | 1,809 65   | 3,384 75   | 3,496 25   | 12,013 88  | 29,622 90   | 4,231 53             | 17,989                             | 24                                 |
| Kenosha.....     | 3,133 39   | 3,310 62   | 3,379 00   | 3,905 89   | 7,032 56   | 6,456 92   | 6,456 92   | 37,016 96   | 5,268 14             | 15,543                             | 33                                 |
| Kewaunee.....    | 3,412 80   | 16,316 57  | 4,249 82   | 19,905 73  | 2,080 68   | 3,465 64   | 13,592 03  | 23,912 13   | 3,416 02             | 17,455                             | 19                                 |
| La Crosse.....   | 5,912 80   | 6,254 61   | 5,447 35   | 6,733 57   | 3,042 53   | 3,847 32   | 3,094 90   | 97,776 91   | 13,968 13            | 88,201                             | 35                                 |
| Lafayette.....   | 9,912 84   | 3,017 87   | 2,165 91   | 1,862 31   | 1,896 30   | 2,804 16   | 1,764 84   | 14,184 23   | 5,056 29             | 20,978                             | 24                                 |
| Langlade.....    | 3,451 51   | 2,291 66   | 2,889 71   | 3,020 21   | 1,896 30   | 4,611 82   | 1,191 81   | 24,563 92   | 3,507 70             | 8,502                              | 18                                 |
| Lincoln.....     | 8,268 75   | 6,036 74   | 4,523 48   | 4,574 00   | 4,674 59   | 11,147 65  | 11,191 81  | 50,416 00   | 7,202 23             | 36,747                             | 32                                 |
| Manitowoc.....   | 15,315 30  | 24,095 62  | 6,772 84   | 4,807 77   | 3,861 20   | 9,533 12   | 2,684 19   | 67,066 04   | 9,580 80             | 31,826                             | 30                                 |

### Statistical Tables.

|                  |             |              |              |              |              |              |              |                |              |           |
|------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-----------|
| Marinette.....   | 2,393 49    | 2,605 58     | 3,909 75     | 5,079 71     | 9,620 49     | 16,148 75    | 6,190 47     | 15,271 27      | 6,467 22     | 20,392    |
| Marquette.....   | 52,841 06   | 52,800 00    | 39,286 98    | 20,271 48    | 83,816 53    | 1,483 15     | 1,857 75     | 7,759 22       | 1,127 75     | 9,848     |
| Maunick.....     | 5,000 00    | 5,300 00     | 5,300 00     | 4,700 00     | 4,820 43     | 4,850 25     | 71,156 75    | 408,329 73     | 53,442 55    | 267,190   |
| Menomonie.....   | 5,000 00    | 5,300 00     | 5,300 00     | 4,700 00     | 4,820 43     | 4,850 25     | 8,650 00     | 21,927 00      | 24,962 70    | 24,962    |
| Monticello.....  | 4,274 04    | 5,643 43     | 5,159 25     | 5,400 00     | 5,070 96     | 10,275 99    | 5,650 00     | 15,847 00      | 6,999 70     | 15,772    |
| Oneida.....      | 5,722 76    | 5,624 14     | 5,372 33     | 5,500 00     | 3,277 94     | 4,069 53     | 5,567 26     | 17,692 23      | 5,241 24     | 3,532     |
| Onongamia.....   | 1,275 00    | 1,198 95     | 5,692 00     | 5,500 00     | 16,271 99    | 12,315 46    | 5,260 51     | 18,875 20      | 1,857 20     | 36,192    |
| Ontonagon.....   | 1,140 04    | 1,198 95     | 5,692 00     | 1,150 00     | 866 25       | 4,767 74     | 1,042 58     | 13,000 00      | 1,869 75     | 7,570     |
| Peppin.....      | 4,580 66    | 5,246 70     | 6,063 30     | 4,768 92     | 3,703 37     | 3,867 42     | 5,843 66     | 30,287 22      | 2,132 42     | 21,342    |
| Pierce.....      | 2,745 66    | 1,634 57     | 2,701 22     | 2,201 96     | 2,389 24     | 3,575 32     | 2,818 53     | 17,879 88      | 2,554 24     | 14,499    |
| Polk.....        | 2,911 29    | 4,258 74     | 5,190 36     | 2,716 17     | 5,148 60     | 7,236 43     | 2,908 58     | 35,121 83      | 5,017 33     | 23,800    |
| Portage.....     | 3,691 13    | 2,400 00     | 6,826 46     | 4,494 94     | 2,400 00     | 5,143 54     | 2,736 98     | 80,763 71      | 7,410 53     | 60,244    |
| Price.....       | 5,428 57    | 6,603 97     | 6,199 70     | 4,494 94     | 3,669 39     | 5,065 16     | 3,164 93     | 23,729 01      | 4,698 60     | 38,254    |
| Racine.....      | 2,000 00    | 3,243 22     | 3,200 00     | 11,698 21    | 8,236 78     | 6,555 54     | 6,342 50     | 29,100 36      | 11,442 91    | 45,617    |
| Reichland.....   | 14,141 43   | 11,748 92    | 15,350 95    | 11,698 21    | 8,236 78     | 6,555 54     | 6,342 50     | 29,100 36      | 11,442 91    | 45,617    |
| Rock.....        | 4,748 68    | 5,028 55     | 6,523 49     | 7,542 35     | 14,982 00    | 5,613 53     | 3,749 68     | 56,861 52      | 8,094 50     | 24,125    |
| St. Croix.....   | 5,500 00    | 9,626 50     | 9,438 00     | 8,750 00     | 14,982 00    | 5,613 53     | 3,749 68     | 56,861 52      | 8,094 50     | 24,125    |
| Sawyer.....      | 1,168 06    | 3,364 69     | 5,000 00     | 3,547 65     | 2,434 19     | 2,930 49     | 4,900 00     | 15,761 56      | 3,309 24     | 3,066     |
| Shawano.....     | 1,625 00    | 1,777 00     | 2,555 00     | 2,152 32     | 2,456 17     | 5,913 08     | 2,900 00     | 15,761 56      | 2,683 04     | 19,601    |
| Sheboygan.....   | 6,723 01    | 8,457 42     | 20,759 05    | 5,776 11     | 5,532 52     | 19,636 86    | 1,988 92     | 31,641 83      | 12,203 65    | 43,498    |
| Taylor.....      | 4,737 75    | 4,255 73     | 7,780 75     | 6,237 49     | 4,614 62     | 3,586 16     | 6,360 31     | 30,547 15      | 4,363 88     | 20,729    |
| Trempealeau..... | 4,508 14    | 3,520 14     | 3,364 83     | 3,968 58     | 3,821 24     | 3,619 10     | 4,363 10     | 29,603 44      | 3,800 49     | 20,533    |
| Vernon.....      | 3,800 00    | 4,000 00     | 3,500 00     | 3,500 00     | 3,821 24     | 3,619 10     | 4,363 10     | 29,603 44      | 3,800 49     | 20,533    |
| Vilas.....       | 6,000 00    | 9,000 00     | 8,512 00     | 11,737 12    | 10,468 53    | 5,429 35     | 3,729 11     | 5,429 35       | 1,876 01     | 3,801     |
| Walworth.....    | 2,745 00    | 3,590 00     | 2,790 00     | 32,090 00    | 1,831 00     | 2,753 34     | 3,119 57     | 7,422 91       | 7,785 42     | 28,432    |
| Washington.....  | 5,615 61    | 6,303 77     | 6,726 37     | 5,097 94     | 9,174 53     | 9,259 72     | 4,402 35     | 46,713 50      | 1,673 36     | 2,968     |
| Waukesha.....    | 8,450 00    | 10,686 56    | 6,879 80     | 4,479 99     | 4,561 86     | 5,929 72     | 2,403 81     | 46,713 50      | 6,873 36     | 23,994    |
| Waupaca.....     | 2,010 19    | 2,992 86     | 1,738 08     | 2,700 76     | 2,486 82     | 5,275 84     | 2,706 94     | 43,041 16      | 6,148 74     | 33,942    |
| Winnebago.....   | 17,028 95   | 16,960 72    | 13,459 89    | 17,969 11    | 13,710 71    | 8,268 98     | 1,680 20     | 14,577 74      | 2,062 53     | 14,635    |
| Winnechago.....  | 4,350 00    | 5,172 62     | 5,384 86     | 5,160 62     | 4,941 47     | 4,660 01     | 6,202 70     | 98,556 46      | 14,079 43    | 54,011    |
| Wood.....        |             |              |              |              |              |              |              | 36,332 58      | 5,261 90     | 17,998    |
| Totals.....      | \$82,069 62 | \$412,986 85 | \$117,714 13 | \$397,650 61 | \$443,676 91 | \$553,152 10 | \$999,134 43 | \$3,006,274 70 | \$429,467 31 | 1,755,238 |

*Statistical Tables.*

## LIST OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF POOR HOUSES.

| COUNTIES.           | Name of person in charge of poor house. | Postoffice address.     | Salary.  |
|---------------------|---|-------------------------|----------|
| Adams .....         | H. H. Mason .....                       | Big Spring .....        | \$400 00 |
| Ashland .....       | H. L. Smart .....                       | High Bridge .....       | 300 00   |
| Barron .....        | Robert Miller .....                     | Barron .....            | 500 00   |
| Brown .....         | W. L. Witters .....                     | Green Bay .....         | 480 00   |
| Chippewa .....      | Thos. G. Smith .....                    | Chippewa Falls .....    | 600 00   |
| Clark .....         | C. H. Ebbe .....                        | Neillsville .....       | 600 00   |
| Columbia .....      | B. Miller .....                         | Wyocena .....           | 333 00   |
| Crawford .....      | A. N. Scovill .....                     | Seneca .....            | 900 00   |
| Dane .....          | L. P. Edwin .....                       | Verona .....            | 320 00   |
| Dodge .....         | S. Rudolf .....                         | Juneau .....            | 400 00   |
| Douglas .....       | William Quinn .....                     | West Superior .....     | 800 00   |
| Dunn .....          | Willis Bailey .....                     | Menominee .....         | 400 00   |
| Eau Claire .....    | H. T. Herrell .....                     | Eau Claire .....        | 500 90   |
| Fond du Lac .....   | S. Everett .....                        | Fond du Lac .....       | 450 00   |
| Grant .....         | James Alderson .....                    | Lancaster .....         | 480 00   |
| Green .....         | R. C. Whitcomb .....                    | Monroe .....            | 240 00   |
| Iowa .....          | E. J. Perkins .....                     | Dodgeville .....        | 400 00   |
| Jackson .....       | J. C. Tucker .....                      | Black River Falls ..... | 500 00   |
| Jefferson .....     | W. E. Voigt .....                       | Jefferson .....         | 380 00   |
| Juneau .....        | R. F. Jones .....                       | New Lisbon .....        | 750 00   |
| Kewaunee .....      | Henry Schmiling .....                   | Alaska .....            | 525 00   |
| La Crosse .....     | J. E. Howser .....                      | La Crosse .....         | 650 00   |
| Lafayette .....     | Charles Wilson .....                    | Darlington .....        | 700 00   |
| Lincoln .....       | D. E. Dean .....                        | Merrill .....           | 500 00   |
| Marathon .....      | John Junk .....                         | Wausau .....            | 700 00   |
| Milwaukee .....     | Chas. Kieckhalfer .....                 | Wauwatosa .....         | 1,000 00 |
| Monroe .....        | R. C. Chamberlain .....                 | Sparta .....            | 700 00   |
| Pierce .....        | M. Reed .....                           | Ellsworth .....         | 400 00   |
| Price .....         | Chas. H. Rosen .....                    | Phillips .....          | 800 00   |
| Richland .....      | D. W. James .....                       | Richland Center .....   | 500 00   |
| St. Croix .....     | C. Boyer .....                          | New Richmond .....      | 408 00   |
| Sauk .....          | Wm. Andrus .....                        | Reedsburg .....         | 300 00   |
| Sawyer .....        | J. Mortenson .....                      | Hayward .....           | 480 00   |
| Taylor .....        | Peter Brost .....                       | Medford .....           | 450 00   |
| Vernon .....        | Geo. Welch .....                        | Viroqua .....           | 725 00   |
| Walworth .....      | John P. Davis .....                     | Elkhorn .....           | 500 00   |
| Washington .....    | John Harns .....                        | Salter .....            | 600 00   |
| Waukesha .....      | David C. Johnson .....                  | Waukesha .....          | 800 00   |
| Waupaca .....       | W. P. Carew .....                       | Little Wolf .....       | 500 00   |
| Winnebago .....     | A. C. Austin .....                      | Winnebago .....         | 800 00   |
| Wood .....          | A. Abrams .....                         | Port Edwards .....      | 600 00   |
| CITY POOR HOUSES.   |   |                         |          |
| Appleton .....      | Joseph Ulman .....                      | Appleton .....          | 360 00   |
| Kenosha .....       | Geo. Berens .....                       | Kenosha .....           | 150 00   |
| Oconto .....        | Mrs. L. O'Connor .....                  | Oconto .....            | .....    |
| Stevens Point ..... | S. R. Haynes .....                      | Stevens Point .....     | .....    |
| Sheboygan .....     | Hans Seivers .....                      | Sheboygan .....         | 600 00   |
| Stockbridge .....   | Edward Gilson .....                     | Stockbridge .....       | .....    |

*Statistical Tables.***COUNTY JAILS.****MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.**

|   | 1897. |        |        | 1898.  |        |        |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|   | Male. | Female | Total. | Male.  | Female | Total. |
| Number prisoners in jail Nov. 1.....            | 304   | 18     | 322    | 306    | 17     | 323    |
| Number received during the year.....            | 9,289 | 372    | 9,661  | 11,629 | 402    | 12,091 |
| Total number during year.....                   | 9,593 | 390    | 9,983  | 11,995 | 418    | 12,413 |
| Number removed to state prison during year..... | 251   | 4      | 255    | 295    | 10     | 305    |
| Number removed to industrial school..           | 120   | 39     | 159    | 158    | 31     | 189    |
| Number let out on bail.....                     | 329   | 30     | 359    | 355    | 38     | 393    |
| Number let out on nolle prosequi.....           | 172   | 31     | 203    | 84     | 2      | 86     |
| Number discharged on writ of habeas corpus..... | 27    | 3      | 30     | 34     | 1      | 35     |
| Number escaped and not recaptured....           | 26    | .....  | 26     | 27     | .....  | 27     |
| Number died in jail.....                        | 6     | 2      | 8      | 5      | 1      | 6      |
| Number otherwise removed.....                   | 8,339 | 268    | 8,637  | 10,776 | 326    | 11,102 |
| Total number passed out.....                    | 9,270 | 377    | 9,647  | 11,734 | 409    | 12,143 |
| Number prisoners remaining.....                 | 323   | 13     | 336    | 261    | 9      | 270    |

**CLASSIFICATION OF PRISONERS.**

|   | 1897. | 1898.  |
|---|-------|--------|
| Number serving sentence in jail.....                                    | 6,431 | 8,437  |
| Number waiting trial.....   | 2,674 | 3,232  |
| Number of city or village prisoners not charged against the county..... | 220   | 201    |
| Number detained as witnesses.....                                       | 55    | 37     |
| Number of insane or idiotic prisoners.....                              | 252   | 255    |
| Number of vagrants or tramps received without commitment...             | 351   | 251    |
| Totals.....   | 9,983 | 12,413 |

*Statistical Tables.*

## ESCAPES.

|   | 1897. | 1898. |
|---|-------|-------|
| Number different attempts at escape.....    | 58    | 82    |
| Number unsuccessful attempts at escape..... | 17    | 32    |
| Number successful attempts at escape.....   | 41    | 50    |
| Number of persons actually escaped.....     | 41    | 50    |
| Number recaptured.....                      | 13    | 19    |

## ALLEGED OFFENSES OF PERSONS AWAITING TRIAL

|  | 1897. |          |        | 1898. |          |        |
|--|-------|----------|--------|-------|----------|--------|
|  | Male. | Fe-male. | Total. | Male. | Fe-male. | Total. |
| Murder.....  | 44    | 9        | 53     | 41    | 5        | 46     |
| Manslaughter.....                                      | 2     | 1        | 3      | 3     | 1        | 4      |
| Rape.....  | 47    | .....    | 47     | 55    | .....    | 55     |
| Assault with intent to kill.....                       | 62    | 1        | 63     | 67    | 1        | 68     |
| Assault to do bodily harm.....                         | 253   | 11       | 264    | 73    | .....    | 73     |
| Other crimes against the person.....                   | 2     | .....    | 2      | 1     | 1        | 2      |
| Arson.....   | 9     | 1        | 10     | 14    | .....    | 14     |
| Burglary.....  | 288   | 1        | 289    | 257   | 1        | 258    |
| Embezzlement.....                                      | 38    | .....    | 38     | 58    | .....    | 58     |
| Forgery.....   | 57    | .....    | 57     | 67    | .....    | 67     |
| Larceny.....   | 355   | 29       | 384    | 354   | 35       | 389    |
| Horse stealing.....                                    | 33    | .....    | 33     | 26    | 1        | 27     |
| Obtaining money or property under false pretenses..... | 34    | .....    | 34     | 59    | 1        | 60     |
| Robbery.....   | 56    | .....    | 56     | 58    | .....    | 58     |
| Other crimes against property.....                     | 14    | .....    | 14     | 2     | 1        | 3      |
| Adultery.....  | 43    | 10       | 53     | 34    | 11       | 45     |
| Bigamy.....  | 12    | 1        | 13     | 5     | 1        | 6      |
| Incest.....  | 9     | .....    | 9      | 7     | .....    | 7      |
| Fornication.....                                       | 11    | 2        | 13     | 7     | 1        | 8      |
| Seduction.....   | 6     | .....    | 6      | 46    | .....    | 46     |
| Perjury.....   | 5     | .....    | 5      | 5     | .....    | 5      |
| Miscellaneous.....                                     | 501   | 19       | 520    | 1,301 | 21       | 1,322  |
| Selling liquor to Indians.....                         | 13    | .....    | 13     | 51    | 9        | 60     |
| Violation of revenue laws.....                         | 9     | .....    | 9      | 2     | .....    | 2      |
| Liquor on reservation.....                             | 36    | .....    | 36     | ..... | .....    | .....  |
| Robbing mail.....                                      | 10    | .....    | 10     | 12    | .....    | 12     |
| Other offenses against U. S. laws.....                 | 5     | .....    | 5      | 3     | .....    | 3      |
| Offenses not reported.....                             | 635   | .....    | 635    | 534   | .....    | 534    |



*Statistical Tables.*

## OFFENSES OF PRISONERS SENTENCED.

|                                    | 1897. |         | 1898. |         |
|------------------------------------|-------|---------|-------|---------|
|                                    | Male. | Female. | Male. | Female. |
| Assault and battery .....          | 562   | 2       | 652   | 10      |
| Bastardy .....                     | 36    |         | 44    |         |
| Contempt of court .....            | 11    | 1       | 12    |         |
| Drunk and disorderly .....         | 2,361 | 37      | 2,744 | 58      |
| Fornication .....                  | 19    | 4       | 19    | 4       |
| Larceny .....                      | 572   | 13      | 665   | 41      |
| Malicious mischief .....           | 125   | 1       | 112   | 7       |
| Prostitution .....                 |       | 63      |       | 57      |
| Violation of liquor laws .....     | 73    |         | 22    |         |
| Vagrancy .....                     | 2,204 |         | 3,414 | 6       |
| Miscellaneous .....                | 99    | 3       | 126   | 10      |
| Abusive and obscene language ..... | 37    | 3       | 34    | 5       |
| Offenses not reported .....        | 205   |         | 395   |         |

## ADDITIONAL FACTS.

|   | 1897. |         | 1898. |         |
|---|-------|---------|-------|---------|
|   | Male. | Female. | Male. | Female. |
| Number of foreign born prisoners .....          | 3,914 | 98      | 4,992 | 93      |
| Number of native born prisoners .....           | 5,786 | 175     | 7,152 | 176     |
| Number who could not read or write .....        | 169   | 11      | 204   | 10      |
| Number habitually intemperate .....             | 1,061 | 18      | 619   | 9       |
| Number between 16 and 21 years of age .....     | 859   | 65      | 621   | 81      |
| Number under 16 years of age .....              | 247   | 25      | 303   | 33      |
| Number insane or idiotic persons Sept. 30. .... | 5     | 2       | 1     |         |

## Statistical Tables.

## COUNTY JAILS, 1898.

| COUNTIES.     | Material of which constructed. | Date of construction. | Original cost of jail, including additions. | NO. OF CELLS. |              | How many can properly be accommodated. | REMARKS.   |
|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------|--------------|--|--|
|               |                                |                       |   | For males.    | For females. |  |  |
| Ashland ....  | Stone and brick .....          | 1898                  | \$35,000 00                                 | 16            | 4            | 50                                     | First class jail, in good condition and well managed. The ventilation and sanitation are good. Cells are of steel, with corridors three feet wide around cage. Water closets in each cell and in outer room. Room for women in sheriff's residence. Considered fire proof. |
| Barron ....   | Stone and brick .....          | 1892                  | 10,000 00                                   | 6             | 2            | 26                                     |  |
| Bayfield .... | Brick .....                    | 1893                  | 12,500 00                                   | 7             | 1            | 20                                     | This is a new jail and a credit to Bayfield county. Prisoners were moved in November 11th, 1893.   |
| Brown ....    | Brick and stone .....          | 1867                  | 40,000 00                                   | 21            | 1            | 42                                     | Basement jail with apartment above. Defective and unsafe. Sanitary condition bad.  |
| Buffalo ....  | Brick and stone .....          | 1898                  | 5,000 00                                    | 3             | .....        | 12                                     | A very good brick building. Covered buckets are used. Ventilation fair. Room upstairs for female prisoners.  |
| Burnett ....  | Oak timber .....               | 1897                  | 700 00                                      | 3             | .....        | 6                                      | Not often used. A very poor jail. Not very well kept.  |
| Calumet ....  | Stone and iron .....           | 1877                  | 5,000 00                                    | 4             | 2            | 12                                     | A small jail, but answers fairly well as there are not many prisoners confined therein.  |
| Clark ....    | Stone, brick and iron .....    | 1898                  | 18,000 00                                   | 6             | 6            | 24                                     | New jail of brick and stone. Has all modern improvements, including steam heating and electric light. Is a first class jail.   |
| Columbia ..   | Brick and iron .....           | 1897                  | 18,000 00                                   | 16            | 8            | 38                                     | A well constructed jail, but defective in regard to sewerage. Female cells above sheriff's residence.  |
| Crippawa ..   | Stone and brick .....          | 1875                  | 20,000 00                                   | 20            | 2            | 44                                     | This jail is in fair condition and fairly well kept.   |
| Crawford ..   | Stone and iron .....           | 1866                  | 5,500 00                                    | 10            | 3            | 20                                     | A new jail with modern improvements. Facilities for separation of sexes.   |
| Dane .....    | Stone and brick .....          | 1893                  | 48,000 00                                   | 40            | 4            | 88                                     | A practically fireproof and very complete jail. One of the best in the state.  |
| Dodge ....    | Stone and brick .....          | 1891                  | 20,000 00                                   | 10            | 4            | 50                                     | A good jail with modern improvements.  |
| Dor .....     | Brick and iron .....           | 1892                  | 6,000 00                                    | 5             | 1            | 6                                      | A well built jail with separate cell for women.  |
| Douglas ....  | Brick .....                    | 1888                  | 17,000 00                                   | 8             | 2            | 32                                     | Of approved construction with steel cage, but too small for the needs of the county.   |
| Dunn .....    | Brick .....                    | (rebuilt) 1893        | .....                                       | 8             | 2            | 8                                      | A very well kept jail.   |
| Eau Claire .. | Brick .....                    | 1894                  | 20,000 00                                   | 9             | 1            | 30                                     | A very good jail, supplied with city water. A work-house has been built in jail yard.  |
| Florence .... | Stone and brick .....          | 1889                  | 7,000 00                                    | 3             | 1            | 12                                     | Sufficiently large for present needs. Everything in first class condition at the time of last inspection.  |
| Pond du Lac   | Stone and brick .....          | 1889                  | 40,000 00                                   | 26            | .....        | 42                                     | A good jail, lacking, however, facilities for the proper separation of sexes.  |

## Statistical Tables.

| Forest<br>Grant ..... | Wood and iron.<br>Stone and brick. .... | 1883<br>1872 | 5,500 00<br>22,000 00 | 2<br>12 | 1<br>1 | 18<br>28 |   |
|-----------------------|---|--------------|-----------------------|---------|--------|----------|---|
| Green .....           | Brick and iron. ....                    | 1871         | 30,000 00             | 84      | 1      | 22       | A poor jail.<br>Steel cage with twelve cells. Ventilation poor. A<br>new sheriff's residence contiguous to this jail<br>was erected in 1894.  |
| Green Lake.           | Stone .....                             | 1870         | 6,500 00              | 3       | .....  | 6        | A very good jail and safe. Not many prisoners con-<br>tained in this jail. During "tramp season" about<br>six prisoners a day is the average.   |
| Iowa .....            | Stone and iron. ....                    | 1875         | 12,000 00             | 8       | .....  | 10       | Jail is old and unsafe and poorly ventilated.<br>Should be replaced by new jail.  |
| Iron .....            | Brick. ....                             | 1883         | 9,500 00              | 12      | .....  | 30       | A fairly good building with separate apartment for<br>women.  |
| Jackson .....         | Brick .....                             | 1878         | 5,000 00              | 4       | 1      | 10       | A first-class jail in all appointments. Fine cage<br>and good beds. Well supplied with water and<br>well ventilated.  |
| Jefferson .....       | Stone and brick .....                   | 1874         | 18,000 00             | 16      | 2      | 38       | Separate rooms for females.   |
| Juneau .....          | Stone and brick .....                   | 1875         | 23,000 00             | 14      | 1      | 40       | A fair jail kept in good order.<br>This jail is of good construction and fully meets<br>the requirements of the county. Plumbing needs<br>repairing.  |
| Kenosha .....         | Stone and brick .....                   | 1885         | 7,500 00              | 9       | 1      | 24       | Two cages, one above the other. Separate room<br>which may be used for females. Fairly well kept.<br>Contract let for addition.   |
| Kewaunee ..           | Stone and brick .....                   | 1885         | 5,600 00              | 6       | .....  | 6        | A good jail, except that there are no facilities for<br>the separation of sexes.  |
| La Crosse ..          | Stone and brick .....                   | 1890         | 50,000 00             | 26      | 2      | 52       | A very fine jail. Heated by steam and lighted by<br>electricity. Department for females. Finely kept.   |
| Lafayette ..          | Stone, brick and iron.                  | 1898         | 12,000 00             | 12      | 4      | 16       | New jail with all modern improvements, and is a<br>first-class jail. Has separate apartments for<br>women.  |
| Langlade ..           | Stone and brick .....                   | 1885         | 8,000 00              | 4       | .....  | 12       | Two steel cages on each floor. The jail is too small<br>for the needs of the county and is unsafe.  |
| Lincoln ....          | Stone and brick .....                   | 1885         | 11,500 00             | 3       | 2      | 10       | A fair jail with good facilities for the separation of<br>sexes but poor facilities for the classification of<br>offenders.   |
| Manitowoc ..          | Stone and brick .....                   | 1892         | 30,000 00             | 20      | 4      | 38       | A fine jail furnished with all modern conveniences.<br>Separate cell for females.   |
| Marathon ..           | Brick .....                             | 1874         | 11,000 00             | 14      | .....  | 20       | A very good jail with iron cage.  |
| Marquette ..          | Stone and brick .....                   | 1892         | 23,000 00             | 16      | 5      | 52       | New with all modern improvements, well kept and<br>in good condition. Separate cells for insane.  |
| Marquette ..          | Stone and brick .....                   | 1886         | 8,000 00              | 2       | .....  | 4        | Steel cage in one room of basement of court house.<br>This jail is not constructed according to law as it<br>is dark, low and unhealthy.  |
| Milwaukee ..          | Stone and iron .....                    | 1885         | .....                 | 69      | 3      | 100      | This is the best jail in the state and its capacity is<br>sufficient. All women or girl prisoners are con-<br>tained in what is known as the female ward, which<br>is separate from the part occupied by the males.<br>Capacity of female department is 16. |

## Statistical Tables.

COUNTY JAILS, 1896—Continued.

| COUNTIES.       | Material of which constructed. | Date of construction. | Original cost of jail, including additions. | NO. OF CELLS. |              | How many can properly be accommodated. | REMARKS.   |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------|--------------|--|--|
|                 |                                |                       |   | For males.    | For females. |  |  |
| Monroe .....    | Stone and brick .....          | 1891                  | \$16,500 00                                 | 16            | 6            | 44                                     | A very satisfactory jail and hitherto has had good management, needs repairing.  |
| Oconto .....    | Stone and brick .....          | 1887                  | 9,000 00                                    | 7             | .....        | 20                                     | A very good jail, well supplied with water closets and bath rooms. Separate room for females.  |
| Oneida .....    | Stone and brick .....          | 1888                  | 15,000 00                                   | 6             | .....        | 12                                     | A good building with iron cages. Large room for the temporary detention of women and boys.   |
| Outagamie ..... | Brick and wood .....           | 1886                  | 30,000 00                                   | 23            | .....        | 43                                     | This is what is called a rotary cage and is fairly satisfactory.   |
| Ozaukee .....   | Brick and iron .....           | 1894                  | 17,500 00                                   | 5             | 2            | 12                                     | New building, having five double cells for males and two single cells for women. Bath tubs. Building heated by steam.  |
| Pepin .....     | Stone and brick .....          | 1895                  | .....                                       | .....         | .....        | .....                                  | Is a good jail and sufficient for needs of county.   |
| Pierce .....    | Brick .....                    | 1870                  | 13,000 00                                   | 3             | .....        | 9                                      | On the first floor of the court house. Considered safe.  |
| Polk .....      | Stone .....                    | 1881                  | 2,000 00                                    | 2             | .....        | 6                                      | Located in basement of stone building, the two upper floors of which are occupied by county offices. The jail part is damp and unsuitable for occupancy.           |
| Portage .....   | Stone and iron .....           | 1871                  | 30,000 00                                   | 3             | .....        | 10                                     | Basement jail. No ventilation or sewerage. The county has plans perfected and will erect a new first class jail without unnecessary delay.                         |
| Price .....     | Brick, stone and iron .....    | 1894                  | 15,000 00                                   | 6             | 3            | 18                                     | This is a very good little jail and well kept. Has separate cells for females.   |
| Richland .....  | Stone .....                    | 1868                  | 8,000 00                                    | 2             | .....        | 4                                      | A very poorly constructed jail. Steel cage with four cells in second story. Two cells on ground floor not used, having been condemned. There are not cells enough. |
| Racine .....    | Stone and brick .....          | 1883                  | 23,000 00                                   | 24            | .....        | 37                                     | This is a new jail, first class in every respect and well kept.  |
| Rock .....      | Stone and wood .....           | 1890                  | .....                                       | 14            | 1            | 35                                     | Building old and generally in poor condition. Contract let for new jail.   |
| St. Croix ..... | Stone .....                    | 1856                  | .....                                       | 5             | .....        | 5                                      | Located in the basement of court house. This jail is a poor one and unsafe. It should be condemned.  |

*Statistical Tables.*

|                   |                       |      |           |    |       |    |  |
|-------------------|-----------------------|------|-----------|----|-------|----|--|
| Sauk .....        | Stone and brick ..... | 1880 | 20,000 00 | 18 | 3     | 28 | <p>This is a model jail and one of the best in the state for the money expended.</p> <p>Three steel cells for males and one wooden cell for women. Answers the purposes and is neatly kept. In a very unsanitary condition and unfit for use. Undoubtedly one of the best jails in the state.</p> <p>Ventilating system perfect.</p> <p>Good substantial building. Sewerage poor.</p> <p>Not large but sufficient for the needs of the county.</p> <p>A very serviceable jail.</p> <p>A fair jail with separate apartments for females.</p> <p>Needs repairing.</p> <p>A good substantial jail with modern improvements. Altogether the jail is creditable to Walworth county, being as it is in every way superior to the average. Should be condemned as it is not safe nor suitable for a jail. No sewerage. Condemnation proceedings postponed for the reason that the county funds are at present tied up.</p> <p>This is a very good jail, with steel cage and cells. Separate cell for women.</p> <p>New jail with all modern improvements. Facilities for separation of sexes.</p> <p>Not very secure and of small proportion. Females kept in cell on upper floor.</p> <p>This is a basement jail which should be condemned. Is kept in as good condition as possible but is unfit for use.</p> <p>A basement jail with comparatively few prisoners. Very complete. Large enough to accommodate all classes of offenders except tramps.</p> |
| Sawyer .....      | Wood .....            | 1884 | 3,500 00  | 6  | ..... | 30 |  |
| Shawano .....     | Stone .....           | 1880 | 18,000 00 | 10 | ..... | 10 |  |
| Sheboygan .....   | Stone and brick ..... | 1888 | 21,500 00 | 18 | 4     | 39 |  |
| Taylor .....      | Brick .....           | 1882 | 14,000 00 | 12 | ..... | 40 |  |
| Trempealeau ..... | Brick and iron .....  | 1884 | 9,000 00  | 2  | 1     | 4  |  |
| Vernon .....      | Stone and brick ..... | 1880 | 5,000 00  | 8  | ..... | 18 |  |
| Vilas .....       | Stone and brick ..... | 1885 | 12,000 00 | 4  | 1     | 11 |  |
| Walworth .....    | Stone and brick ..... | 1878 | 10,000 00 | 11 | 3     | 33 |  |
| Washburn .....    | Wood .....            | 1883 | 4,500 00  | 5  | ..... | 8  |  |
| Washington .....  | Stone and brick ..... | 1887 | 14,000 00 | 5  | ..... | 20 |  |
| Waupaca .....     | Brick .....           | 1886 | 12,000 00 | 12 | ..... | 50 |  |
| Waushara .....    | Brick .....           | 1882 | 2,000 00  | 5  | ..... | 5  |  |
| Winnebago .....   | Stone and brick ..... | 1889 | 60,000 00 | 13 | ..... | 40 |  |
| Wood .....        | Stone and iron .....  | 1882 | .....     | 6  | ..... | 6  |  |
| Waukesha .....    | Stone and iron .....  | 1885 | 22,000 00 | 8  | 2     | 18 |  |

## Statistical Tables.

## POLICE STATIONS.

Visited by the Board during the past biennial period.

| Name of place.      | Material of which constructed. | Date when constructed. | Cost, including additions. | No. of cells. | Size of each cell (feet.) | Size of outer room. | Capacity. | How heated. | How ventilated. | Safeguards against fire. |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| Alnapee.....        | Brick.....                     | 1891                   | \$600 00                   | 2             | 5x7                       | 12x16               | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fireproof.               |
| Argo.....           | Wood.....                      | 1887                   | 80 00                      | 2             | 6x8                       | None                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Force pump and hose.     |
| Ashland.....        | Stone.....                     | 1872                   | 300 00                     | 5             | 6x18                      | 10x40               | 12        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Hydrant and hose.        |
| Albany.....         | Wood.....                      | 1885                   | 2,500 00                   | 2             | 6x6                       | 20x30               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | In engine house.         |
| Amery.....          | Brick and wood.                | 1881                   | 150 00                     | 2             | 5x3                       | 16x24               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Hose.                    |
| Appleton.....       | Wood.....                      | 1883                   | 1,000 00                   | 5             | 5x7                       | 15x19               | 5         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Hydrant near.            |
| Arcadia.....        | Stone.....                     | 1883                   | 450 00                     | 2             | 7x12                      | 3x16                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Auburndale.....     | Wood.....                      | 1883                   | 400 00                     | 2             | 8x10                      | 16x16               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Engine house.            |
| Augusta.....        | Wood.....                      | 1876                   | 250 00                     | 2             | 8x3                       | 16x16               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Avoca.....          | Stone.....                     | 1874                   | 150 00                     | 2             | 8x12                      | None                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Argyle.....         | Wood.....                      | 1882                   | 200 00                     | 2             | 7x7                       | 12x15               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Alma.....           | Wood.....                      | 1884                   | 100 00                     | 2             | 8x10                      | None                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Under fire department.   |
| Alma Center.....    | Wood.....                      | 1884                   | 100 00                     | 2             | 7x12                      | None                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Baldwin.....        | Brick.....                     | 1875                   | 14,000 00                  | 2             | 7x10                      | 10x14               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Engine house.            |
| Berlin.....         | Wood.....                      | 1875                   | 1,700 00                   | 3             | 5x10                      | 16x16               | 6         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Bayfield.....       | Wood.....                      | 1888                   | 400 00                     | 4             | 6x8                       | 9x24                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Near engine house.       |
| Beaver Dam.....     | Brick.....                     | 1883                   | 4,500 00                   | 4             | 4x8                       | 14x23               | 4         | Stove.....  | Shafts.....     | Waterworks.              |
| Baraboo.....        | Brick and stone.               | 1883                   | 12,500 00                  | 2             | 5x15                      | 12x20               | 6         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Beloit.....         | Brick and stone.               | 1877                   | 2,600 00                   | 6             | 5x7                       | 9x20                | 6         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire company.            |
| Browtown.....       | Wood.....                      | 1880                   | 125 00                     | 2             | 5x7                       | 5x12                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Boscobel.....       | Wood.....                      | 1874                   | 2,500 00                   | 1             | 12x14                     | 12x14               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Near fire company.       |
| Bloomer.....        | Wood.....                      | 1885                   | 130 00                     | 2             | 7x8                       | 5x12                | 6         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Bloomington.....    | Wood.....                      | 1880                   | 100 00                     | 2             | 5x7                       | 7x16                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Bond.....           | Stone and iron.                | 1880                   | 900 00                     | 2             | 4x8                       | 7x12                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Brillion.....       | Wood.....                      | 1883                   | 200 00                     | 4             | 7x10                      | None                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Brodhead.....       | Stone.....                     | 1871                   | 1,000 00                   | 3             | 5x7                       | 10x16               | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Burlington.....     | Brick.....                     | 1888                   | 5,000 00                   | 2             | 4x11                      | 30x20               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Engine house.            |
| Battnut.....        | Stone and wood.                | 1887                   | 800 00                     | 1             | 7x8                       | 16x20               | 10        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire company.            |
| Blanchardville..... | Wood.....                      | 1882                   | 800 00                     | 3             | 6x8                       | 32x20               | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Brule.....          | Wood.....                      | 1892                   | 150 00                     | 1             | 12x16                     | .....               | 10        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Bangor.....         | Wood.....                      | 1891                   | .....                      | 2             | 9x5                       | 6x12                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Benton.....         | Wood.....                      | 1883                   | 250 00                     | 3             | 3x28                      | 5x9                 | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Belmont.....        | Stone.....                     | 1874                   | 175 00                     | 2             | 8x16                      | 8x16                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |

## Statistical Tables.

| Blair.          | 1879   | \$0 00    | 11x11 | None  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
|-----------------|--------|-----------|-------|-------|----------|--------------|------------------|
| Barron.         | 1880   | 100 00    | 8x10  | 16x12 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Casville.       | 1874   | 200 00    | 8x8   | 8x16  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fireproof.       |
| Centalla.       | 1885   | 75 00     | 6x3   | 8x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Chetek.         | 1885   | 2,600 00  | 5x8   | 5x30  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Cap on stove.    |
| Chippewa Falls. | 1884   | 200 00    | 7x8   | 7x14  | Stove.   | Ventilators. | Watchman.        |
| Clear Lake.     | 1885   | 250 00    | 5x8   | 4x18  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Clinton.        | 1870   | 500 00    | 5x8   | 10x18 | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fire engine.     |
| Clinoville.     | 1881   | 250 00    | 6x8   | 8x13  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Colby.          | 1883   | 25,000 00 | 4x6   | 14x18 | Stove.   | Windows.     | Engine house.    |
| Columbus.       | 1888   | 800 00    | 6x7   | 22x24 | Stove.   | Shaft.       | None.            |
| Commonwealth.   | 1882   | 100 00    | 4x8   | 10x12 | Stove.   | Ventilator.  | None.            |
| Cumberland.     | 1884   | 200 00    | 7x8   | 14x18 | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fire company.    |
| Cedarburg.      | 1886   | 800 00    | 6x8   | 8x16  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Cadotte.        | 1883   | 125 03    | 6x7   | 5x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Cambria.        | 1887   | 200 00    | 12x12 | 18x20 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Chelsea.        | 1883   | 350 00    | 6x3   | 16x16 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Camp Douglas.   | 1882   | 400 00    | 5x7   | 5x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Cambodge.       | 1884   | 200 00    | 3x8   | 5x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Cudahy.         | 1883-4 | 250 00    | 6x8   | 20x6  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Cameron Junc.   | 1886   | 200 00    | 5x8   | None  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fire engine.     |
| Chilton.        | 1888   | 200 00    | 5x8   | None  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Cuba City.      | 1881   | 75 00     | 5x8   | 6x11  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Cashton.        | 1886   | 1,500 00  | 6x9   | 8x10  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Deerfield.      | 1888   | 4,000 00  | 5x7   | 20x30 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Delavan.        | 1884   | 3,000 00  | 4x9   | 5x13  | Stove.   | None.        | Engine house.    |
| Depere.         | 1884   | 500 00    | 6x8   | 9x9   | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fire engine.     |
| Depere West.    | 1886   | 500 00    | 6x8   | 8x14  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Engine house.    |
| Eagle River.    | 1888   | 3,600 00  | 6x8   | 8x14  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Edgerton.       | 1888   | 3,600 00  | 6x8   | 8x14  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Engine house.    |
| Eau Claire.     | 1874   | 500 00    | 6x9   | 5x12  | Furnace. | Windows.     | City water.      |
| East.           | 1883   | 200 00    | 6x9   | 5x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | City water.      |
| West.           | 1879   | 200 00    | 6x9   | 5x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Elroy.          | 1888   | 7,000 00  | 16x16 | None  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fire department. |
| Evansville.     | 1885   | 800 00    | 15x20 | None  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fire department. |
| Elkhart Lake.   | 1882   | 150 00    | 12x12 | 12x12 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Fairchild.      | 1885   | 150 00    | 12x12 | 12x12 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Fennimore.      | 1885   | 5,000 00  | 7x8   | 9x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Field.          | 1888   | 5,000 00  | 8x10  | 10x14 | Stove.   | Windows.     | Fire company.    |
| Ft. Atkinson.   | 1878   | 500 00    | 8x12  | 8x12  | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Fountain City.  | 1882   | 4,000 00  | 6x8   | 20x30 | Stove.   | Ventilator.  | Engine house.    |
| Florence.       | 1883   | 800 00    | 6x8   | 6x8   | Stove.   | Windows.     | City water.      |
| Fond du Lac.    | 1878   | 35,000 00 | 6x8   | 12x12 | Stove.   | Ventilator.  | Fire proof.      |
| Fox Lake.       | 1892   | 350 00    | 7x8   | 7x13  | Stove.   | Windows.     | Engine house.    |
| Galesville.     | 1880   | 200 00    | 5x8   | 10x16 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Grand Rapids.   | 1883   | 150 00    | 5x8   | 10x14 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Grantburg.      | 1875   | 250 00    | 8x14  | 10x14 | Stove.   | Windows.     | None.            |
| Hewn timber.    | 1888   | 800 00    | 12x16 | 12x16 | Stove.   | Ventilator   | None.            |

## Statistical Tables.

## POLICE STATIONS — Continued.

| Name of place.             | Material of which constructed. | Date when constructed. | Cost including additions. | No. of cells. | Size of each cell (feet). | Size of outer room. | Capacity. | How heated. | How ventilated. | Safeguards against fire. |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| Gratiot.....               | Wood.....                      | 1880                   | \$150 00                  | 2             | 6x8                       | 10x12               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Gile.....                  | Wood.....                      | 1886                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 7x9                       | 10x14               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Green Bay.....             | Stone and iron.....            | 1880                   | .....                     | 4             | 6x8                       | 7x10                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.         |
| Green Bay W.....           | Stone.....                     | .....                  | .....                     | 3             | 6x7                       | 5x18                | 3         | Stove.....  | Window.....     | Fire company.            |
| Glenwood.....              | Wood.....                      | 1882                   | 600 00                    | 3             | 7x11                      | 9x11                | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Hammond.....               | Wood.....                      | 1885                   | 175 00                    | 3             | 6x8                       | 12x24               | 10        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Hayward.....               | Stone and iron.....            | 1885                   | 350 00                    | 3             | 10x10                     | 25x60               | 6         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Engine house.            |
| Highland.....              | Stone and wood.....            | 1885                   | 130 00                    | 2             | 6x6                       | 4x6                 | 8         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Hillsboro.....             | Wood.....                      | 1885                   | 200 00                    | 2             | 7x9                       | 6x11                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Horton.....                | Wood.....                      | 1887                   | 300 00                    | 2             | 6x6                       | 6x8                 | 6         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Hortonville.....           | Wood.....                      | 1887                   | 2,000 00                  | 6             | 7x8                       | 9x22                | 12        | Stove.....  | Flues.....      | Fire department.         |
| Hurley.....                | Stone.....                     | 1887                   | 7,500 00                  | 6             | 7x7                       | 13x55               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.         |
| Independence.....          | Wood.....                      | 1886                   | 450 00                    | 2             | 7x8                       | 18x23               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Iron River.....            | Wood.....                      | 1882                   | 140 00                    | 2             | 6x8                       | 5x11                | 10        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Janesville.....            | Stone and wood.....            | 1882                   | 300 00                    | 2             | 7x7                       | 15x16               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Kaukauna.....              | Brick and iron.....            | 1888                   | 850 00                    | 5             | 5x10                      | 10x30               | 50        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Engine house.            |
| Kilbourn.....              | Brick and iron.....            | 1884                   | 600 00                    | 2             | 4x8                       | 7x18                | 5         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Kiel.....                  | Wood.....                      | 1883                   | 1,900 00                  | 2             | 7x7                       | 14x16               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | In engine house.         |
| Kingston.....              | Stone.....                     | 1882                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 8x10                      | 20x40               | 8         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire proof.              |
| La Crosse No. 1.....       | Brick and stone.....           | 1881                   | City hall                 | 5             | 5½x8                      | 5x11                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire proof.              |
| La Crosse No. 2.....       | Brick and iron.....            | 1884                   | En house                  | 6             | .....                     | 10x20               | 30        | Steam.....  | Windows.....    | Fire proof.              |
| La Crosse (10th ward)..... | Brick.....                     | 1883                   | 500 00                    | 2             | 7x9                       | 10x12               | 10        | Steam.....  | Windows.....    | Fire proof.              |
| Lake Mills.....            | Wood.....                      | 1884                   | 100 00                    | 2             | 8x12                      | None                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Lake Geneva.....           | Wood.....                      | 1885                   | 800 00                    | 2             | 5x7                       | 4x14                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | City water.              |
| La Valle.....              | Wood.....                      | 1881                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 6x8                       | 8x12                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Lone Rock.....             | Wood.....                      | 1888                   | 1,200 00                  | 2             | 6x8                       | 18x30               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Lodi.....                  | Wood.....                      | 1880                   | 200 00                    | 2             | 5x7                       | 7x9                 | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Little Chute.....          | Wood.....                      | 1887                   | 150 00                    | 3             | 8x10                      | 4x20                | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Lynxville.....             | Brick and wood.....            | 1890                   | 1,700 00                  | 2             | 6x7                       | 10x12               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Markesan.....              | Wood.....                      | 1880                   | 150 00                    | 4             | 5x10                      | 5x10                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Engine house adjacent.   |
| Madison.....               | Brick.....                     | 1886                   | 2,500 00                  | 2             | 5x7                       | 16x16               | 8         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Engine house adjacent.   |
| Manitowish.....            | Brick and iron.....            | 1887                   | 500 00                    | 4             | 4x8                       | 8x12                | 8         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |
| Marshfield.....            | Wood.....                      | 1887                   | 400 00                    | 2             | 6x7                       | 8x16                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                    |



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|      |                |                       |            |    |       |         |       |         |          |                          |
|------|----------------|-----------------------|------------|----|-------|---------|-------|---------|----------|--------------------------|
| 1895 | Marathon       | Wood                  | 300 00     | 2  | 10x10 | 20x20   | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1888 | Marinette      | Brick                 | 1, 100 00  | 4  | 5x5   | 10x16   | 10    | Stove   | Windows  | Engine house adjacent.   |
| 1891 | Mayville       | Wood                  | 1, 150 00  | 2  | 8x10  | 12x20   | 10    | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1888 | Montello       | Wood                  | 50 00      | 1  | 8x12  | None    | 10    | None    | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1874 | Muscoda        | Wood                  | 85 00      | 2  | 6x5   | .....   | 2     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1872 | Mazomanie      | Stone                 | 245 00     | 2  | 6x12  | 5x7     | 3     | Stove   | Windows  | Fireproof.               |
| 1885 | Mellen         | Wood                  | 700 00     | 2  | 6x5   | 10x16   | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1885 | Menasha        | Brick and wood        | 18, 000 00 | 2  | 6x5   | 10x15   | 3     | Stove   | Windows  | In engine house.         |
| 1891 | Monticello     | Stone                 | 150 00     | 1  | 7x11  | 9x11    | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | Fireproof.               |
| 1896 | Mount Horeb    | Stone                 | 125 00     | 1  | 12x14 | None    | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | Fireproof.               |
| 1889 | Merrill        | Brick                 | 25, 000 00 | 3  | 5x8   | 5x12    | 24    | Steam   | Windows  | Water works.             |
| 1883 | Merrillan      | Wood                  | 30 00      | 1  | 8x12  | 7x12    | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1883 | Milwaukee      | Brick, stone and iron | 37, 000 00 | 28 | 5x5   | Cor'dor | 56    | Steam   | Direct   | Fire dep'tment adjacent. |
| 1891 | Milwaukee      | Brick, stone and iron | 35, 000 00 | 28 | 5x8   | Cor'dor | 50    | Steam   | Direct   | Watchman.                |
| 1886 | Milwaukee      | Stone, brick and iron | 36, 000 00 | 21 | 5x7   | 6x40    | 16    | Steam   | Direct   | Fireproof.               |
| 1892 | Maiden Rock    | Wood                  | 150 00     | 2  | 6x8   | 6x12    | 2     | Stove   | Openings | None.                    |
| 1884 | Mason          | Wood                  | 400 00     | 1  | 10x12 | 30x40   | 1     | Stove   | Windows  | Fire extinguisher.       |
| 1893 | Morse          | Wood                  | 700 00     | 2  | 6x8   | 12x16   | 2     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1888 | Mineral Point* | Stone                 | .....      | 1  | 12x14 | .....   | 2     | Stove   | Windows  | Grades.                  |
| 1888 | Minocqua       | Wood                  | 275 00     | 2  | 6x6   | None    | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1887 | Mondovi        | Wood                  | 220 90     | 2  | 7x7   | 18x20   | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1887 | Monico         | Wood                  | 200 00     | 2  | 6x8   | 11x12   | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1886 | Mauston        | Stone                 | 100 00     | 2  | 12x24 | 12x24   | 6     | Stove   | Windows  | Fireproof.               |
| 1886 | New Glarus     | Wood and stone        | 3, 500 00  | 1  | 5x9   | 10x20   | 24    | Stove   | Windows  | In engine house.         |
| 1884 | Neeah          | Brick and stone       | 27, 000 00 | 2  | 6x8   | 50x80   | 4     | Furnace | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1887 | Necedah        | Wood and stone        | 1, 200 00  | 2  | 5x9   | 8x8     | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1890 | Nellville      | Wood                  | 200 00     | 2  | 8x8   | 12x16   | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | Adjoining engine house.  |
| 1892 | New Richmond   | Brick                 | 200 00     | 2  | 6x7   | None    | 2     | Steam   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1890 | New London     | Brick and stone       | 2, 000 00  | 4  | 7x8   | 8x12    | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1875 | New Lisbon     | Brick and wood        | 1, 200 00  | 4  | 5x8   | 10x10   | 8     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1886 | Oconomowoc     | Brick                 | 20, 000 00 | 4  | 5x8   | 21x22   | 17    | Stove   | Windows  | Engine house in rear.    |
| 1886 | Oshkosh        | Stone and iron        | 45, 000 00 | 11 | 6x8   | Cor'dor | ..... | Steam   | Shaft    | Fireproof.               |
| 1885 | Ogema          | Wood                  | 400 00     | 2  | 6x9   | 13x20   | 2     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1880 | Omro           | Wood                  | 400 00     | 2  | 4x10  | 6x10    | 2     | Stove   | Windows  | Hose.                    |
| 1888 | Onnetta        | Wood                  | 1885 50    | 2  | 7x7   | 13x20   | 6     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1892 | Pardeeville    | Planks                | 800 00     | 3  | 6x10  | 5x12    | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1892 | Pardeeville    | Planks                | 150 00     | 2  | 6x8   | 5x12    | 2     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1873 | Palmira        | Wood                  | 100 00     | 1  | 10x12 | None    | 2     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1887 | Pence          | Wood                  | 250 00     | 2  | 7x9   | 6x14    | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1887 | Pellucid Lake  | Wood                  | 200 00     | 2  | 6x7   | 10x14   | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1887 | Pescadore      | Wood                  | 600 00     | 2  | 7x8   | 10x20   | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | None.                    |
| 1885 | Pittsville     | Wood                  | 150 00     | 2  | 5x8   | 8x8     | 4     | Stove   | Windows  | River adjacent.          |

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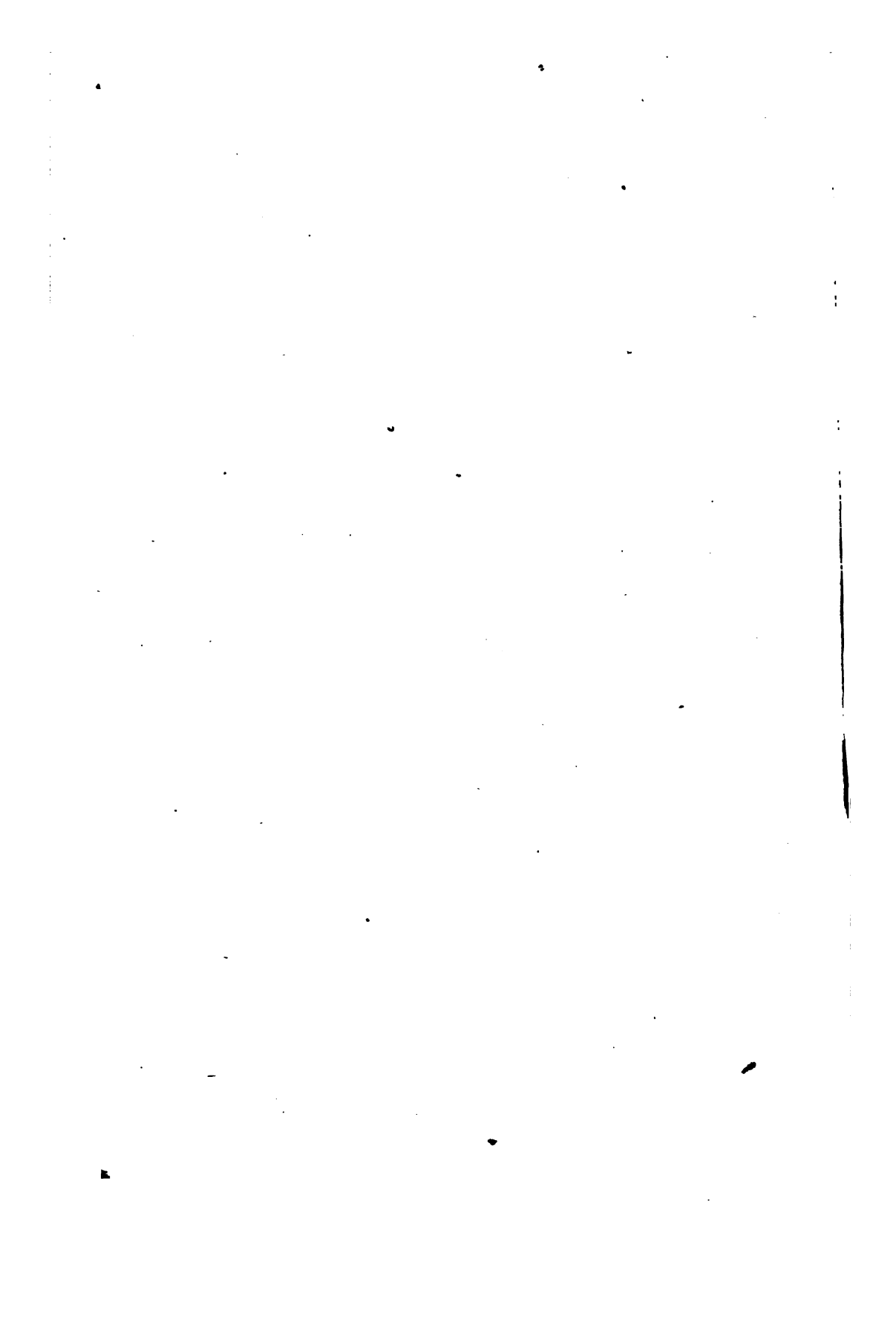
| Name of place.     | Material of which constructed. | Date when constructed. | Cost including additions. | No. of cells. | Size of cell (feet). | Size of outer room. | Capacity. | How heated. | How ventilated. | Safeguards against fire.  |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Plainfield.....    | Wood                           | 1886                   | \$300 00                  | 4             | 5x7                  | 18x20               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Good.                     |
| Platteville.....   | Stone and brick.               | 1886                   | 250 00                    | 1             | 10x10                | 50x10               | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Portage.....       | Brick                          | 1891                   | 3,000 00                  | 4             | 6x7                  | 22x23               | 18        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Peshtigo.....      | Wood                           | 1887                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 4x7                  | 14x16               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Potosi.....        | Wood                           | 1887                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 6x11                 | 6x11                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Prescott.....      | Wood                           | 1881                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 6x8                  | 6x11                | 10        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Princeton.....     | Stone and iron                 | 1880                   | 400 00                    | 2             | 7x6                  | 5x14                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fireproof.                |
| Plymouth.....      | Stone and iron                 | 1887                   | 800 00                    | 2             | 7x9                  | 5x14                | 8         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Prarie du Chien.   | Brick                          | 1887                   | 1,600 00                  | 5             | 8x8                  | 20x30               | 10        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.          |
| Prairie du Sac     | Wood                           | 1886                   | 250 00                    | 2             | 6x7                  | 10x20               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Perkinstown.....   | Wood                           | 1892                   | 300 00                    | 2             | 6x8                  | 8x12                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Racine.....        | Brick and iron.                | 1884                   | 1,450 00                  | 1             | 6x7                  | 12x12               | 8         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fireproof.                |
| Randolph.....      | Wood                           | 1883                   | 1,200 00                  | 3             | 7x5                  | 8x18                | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Chemical engine.          |
| Reedsburg.....     | Brick and stone.               | 1888                   | 1,000 00                  | 2             | 4x7                  | 5x9                 | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | In engine house.          |
| Reedsville.....    | Wood                           | 1883                   | 1,800 00                  | 2             | 6x8                  | 6x12                | 6         | Stove.....  | Ventilators     | In engine house.          |
| Rhineland.....     | Stone                          | 1888                   | 2,500 00                  | 6             | 7x8                  | 8x14                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fireproof.                |
| Rio.....           | Wood                           | 1887                   | 300 00                    | 2             | 6x7                  | 6x8                 | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Rice Lake.....     | Wood                           | 1881                   | 300 00                    | 3             | 5x9                  | 9x12                | 12        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Ripon.....         | Stone                          | 1882                   | 1,000 00                  | 2             | 7x8                  | 12x16               | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fireproof.                |
| River Falls.....   | Wood                           | 1876                   | 550 00                    | 2             | 7x8                  | 7x10                | 2         | Stove.....  | Air holes.....  | Dest. by fire in May, 94. |
| Richland Center.   | Wood                           | 1882                   | 50 00                     | 2             | 5x7                  | 14x16               | 6         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Saxon.....         | Wood                           | 1883                   | 300 00                    | 3             | 5x8                  | 12x30               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | In engine house.          |
| Schlesinger ville. | Wood                           | 1891                   | 500 00                    | 2             | 12x12                | 12x12               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Seymour.....       | Wood                           | 1880                   | 150 00                    | 1             | 7x9                  | Hall                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Shawano.....       | Wood                           | 1880                   | 600 00                    | 6             | 4x8                  | 8x9                 | 11        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Sheboygan.....     | Wood and brick.                | 1880                   | 100 00                    | 2             | 5x7                  | 8x9                 | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.          |
| Sharon.....        | Wood                           | 1882                   | 500 00                    | 1             | 6x6                  | Cor'd'r             | 8         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| South Superior.    | Wood                           | 1884                   | 500 00                    | 3             | 4x7                  | 8x13                | 30        | Steam.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.          |
| Superior, east     | Brick                          | 1888                   | 5,000 00                  | 6             | 6x7                  | 8x20                | 3         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.          |
| Superior, west     | Wood                           | 1883                   | 150 00                    | 3             | 4x7                  | 8x14                | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| South Milwaukee.   | Brick                          | 1883                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 6x9                  | 10x12               | 2         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.          |
| Shullsburg.....    | Wood                           | 1880                   | 150 00                    | 2             | 5x7                  | 3x12                | 4         | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | None.                     |
| Spooner.....       | Brick                          | 1882                   | 8,000 00                  | 2             | 6x8                  | 10x14               | 10        | Stove.....  | Windows.....    | Fire department.          |
| Sparta.....        | Brick                          | 1875                   | 3,000 00                  | 1             | 8x10                 | 16x18               | 4         | Stove.....  | Hole in roof..  | None.                     |
| Sun Prairie.....   | Wood                           | 1870                   | 1,100 00                  | 1             | 8x10                 | 16x18               | 4         | Stove.....  | Hole in roof..  | In engine house.          |

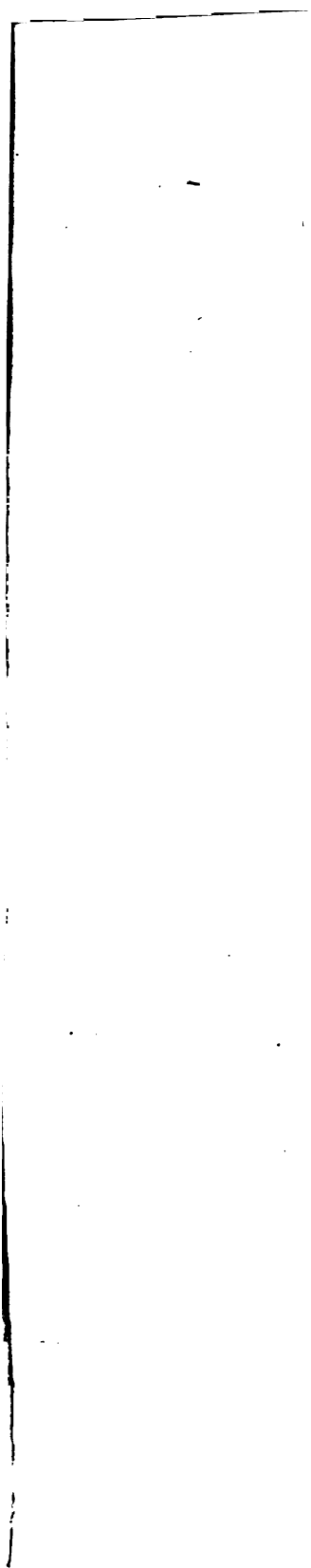
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|                      |      |                 |           |   |        |       |    |         |                 |                         |
|----------------------|------|-----------------|-----------|---|--------|-------|----|---------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Sauk City.....       | 1889 | Wood            | 400 00    | 2 | 5x7    | 20x20 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | In engine house.        |
| Spring Green.....    | 1879 | Wood            | 1,400 00  | 3 | 7x8    | 16x18 | 2  | Stove   | Windows.....    | In engine house.        |
| St. Croix Falls..... | 1876 | Hewn logs       | 250 00    | 3 | 7x8    | 5x15  | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Stevens Point.....   |      |                 |           |   |        |       |    |         |                 |                         |
| No. 1.....           | 1874 | Stone           | 1,000 00  | 4 | 8x8    | 15x21 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | Hydrant near.           |
| No. 2.....           | 1875 | Wood            | 1,000 00  | 4 | 8x8    | 20x24 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | Hydrant near.           |
| Sturgeon Bay.....    | 1880 | Wood            | 250 00    | 4 | 7x7    | 7x14  | 8  | Stove   | Windows.....    | In engine house.        |
| S toughton.....      | 1875 | Wood            | 750 00    | 3 | 6x6    | 17x23 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | Hydrant near.           |
| Stanley.....         | 1895 | Wood            | .....     | 3 | .....  | ..... | 6  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Soldiers Grove.....  | 1891 | Wood            | 150 00    | 2 | 5x7    | 6x10  | 2  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Tomahawk.....        | 1889 | Wood            | 270 00    | 2 | 7x14   | 7x14  | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Three Lakes.....     | 1890 | Wood            | 450 00    | 2 | 7x7    | 15x16 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Turtle Lake.....     | 1889 | Wood            | 75 00     | 3 | 6x8    | 8x12  | 3  | None    | None.....       | None.                   |
| Tomah.....           | 1876 | Brick           | 9,000 00  | 1 | 9x12   | 12x12 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | In engine house.        |
| Trempealeau.....     | 1872 | Stone           | 400 00    | 2 | 8x9    | 8x17  | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | Fire proof.             |
| Two Rivers.....      | 1872 | Brick and wood  | 3,000 00  | 2 | 6x10   | 10x14 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Upsan.....           | 1887 | Wood            | 150 00    | 2 | 7x8    | 12x16 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Washburn.....        | 1887 | Brick           | 1,200 00  | 4 | .....  | 6x7   | 16 | Stove   | Windows.....    | Fire department.        |
| Waupun.....          | 1879 | Stone and iron  | 700 00    | 4 | 2, 4x8 | 8x12  | 5  | Stove   | Windows.....    | Adjoining engine house. |
| Wausau.....          | 1884 | Brick and stone | 12,000 00 | 4 | 7x15   | 9x33  | 8  | Furnace | Windows.....    | Hydrant.                |
| Waterloo.....        | 1870 | Wood            | 200 00    | 2 | 4x6    | 10x7  | 2  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Wauzeka.....         | 1890 | Wood            | 200 00    | 2 | 8x16   | ..... | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Weyauwega.....       | 1872 | Stone           | 500 00    | 4 | 7x10   | 4x8   | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Whitewater.....      | 1879 | Stone           | 500 00    | 2 | 6x8    | 10x12 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | Water works.            |
| Winneconne.....      | 1870 | Wood            | 200 00    | 2 | 10x12  | 12x12 | 6  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Watertown.....       | 1884 | Stone and brick | 20,000 00 | 3 | 5x8    | 5x20  | 6  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Wonec.....           | 1889 | Wood            | 400 00    | 2 | 6x9    | 9x12  | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | In engine house.        |
| Wittenburg.....      | 1883 | Wood            | 250 00    | 3 | 8x8    | 7x6   | 3  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Westboro.....        | 1883 | Wood            | 600 00    | 2 | 6x7    | 7x13  | 8  | Stove   | Ventilator..... | None.                   |
| Whitehall.....       | 1888 | Wood            | 200 00    | 1 | 8x11   | 4x11  | 2  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Waunakee.....        | 1883 | Wood            | 600 00    | 2 | 7x10   | 20x30 | 4  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Wrightstown.....     | 1890 | Stone and wood  | 300 00    | 3 | 6x8    | 5x15  | 3  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| West Superior.....   |      |                 |           |   |        |       |    |         |                 |                         |
| steel plant.....     | 1885 | Wood            | 300 00    | 3 | 5x6    | ..... | 6  | Stove   | Windows.....    | Fire department.        |
| West Salem.....      | 1885 | Wood            | 150 00    | 1 | 10x12  | ..... | 2  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Woodruff.....        | 1881 | Wood            | .....     | 2 | 5x8    | 12x18 | 2  | Stove   | Windows.....    | None.                   |
| Waupaca.....         |      | Stone and brick | .....     | 2 | .....  | ..... |    |         |                 |                         |















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